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Weather

Fair in the valley today. Highs in the mid 40s to low 50s. Lows in the upper 20s to mid 30s. Northerly winds 10 to 20 mph.



Lift lines form to the left

Some skiers just can't wait for the weekend. Enthusiast Bill Athenhover (right) waxed 'em up and headed for Pleasanton's Aquatic Park to brave what officials lightheartedly called "the heaviest snowfall of the week." Nearly three inches of fresh white powder were dumped on the valley — much to the delight of everyone. (Times photo by Pete Griffith)

Brandes, Finch blast proposal

PLEASANTON — Since Willow West has no sewer connections reserved in the 1972 sewer agreement and Stoneridge does, it appears that Councilman Roger McLain's suggestion that Willow West try to compete against Stoneridge for the center is a moot point.

McLain denied that analysis yesterday as city council candidate Frank Brandes attacked him over his Willow West suggestion in a press release.

Brandes and another council candidate, Gene Finch, also criticized McLain's suggestion earlier this week that the city consider a halt in residential construction until commercial and industrial development moves ahead.

It's true that Willow West has no sewer connections promised in the 1972 agreement, said McLain. But maybe the city could sit down with Willow West and the developers who did sign the 1972 agreement and work out a solution, said McLain.

The important thing is to foster competition between Stoneridge and Willow West and deliver a regional center to Pleasanton as early as possible, said McLain.

"I am not looking to break the 1972 agreement, but developers will be as anxious as we are to amend the agreement," said McLain. "It will be worth just as much to developers as to us to get a shopping center here. They would have to give up some homes in the short run, but in the long run they would gain," said McLain.

What they would gain is better police and fire services because the tax base would be in better shape to pay for good services, said McLain. And it is easier to sell a new home with low taxes than one with high taxes, he added.

McLain's notion of freezing home building until enough commercial and industrial lands are developed to help the tax base seems to fly in the face of past thinking in the city. The old argument from city officials and developers has been to build many houses so there will be a wide range of housing for industrial workers and enough customers for local commerce.

"It depends on who you talk to," said McLain. "If you talk to a realtor or developer, he will rationalize it from one angle. An administrator for city services will look at it another way.

"You can only go so far without hurting the existing people by adding more houses because you take away the existing services. You also hurt people coming in because they assume certain services will be provided and they won't be there," said McLain.

McLain said the "halt" in construction he suggests is "not an either/or thing" It has to be done in conjunction with the developers.

"One way to do it is for them to refrain from building houses. Another more positive way is for them to help solicit commercial and industrial development. When the developer built the Irvine Ranch, he didn't just put in thousands of homes, he also put in enough commercial for the city to survive. That's the kind of cooperation I'm talking about," said McLain.

In a press release to The Times yesterday, Brandes alleged that McLain's ideas about Willow West "would be in violation of the 1972 sewer agreement."

McLain's suggestion about residential growth was also criticized by Brandes. He said the 1968 general plan review committee recommended a population of 123,000 for the city's holding capacity. Now McLain, a member of the 1968 committee, "at election time wants to stop all residential building."

Finch in a press release to the The Times yesterday said he feels that McLain's statements on residential growth "are a little too late. He had ample opportunity to do something about it when he served on the planning commission. Where were his convictions when the planning commission was creating the precarious situation with the developers by guaranteeing sewer permits when we were unable to provide service?

"I have long been an advocate of a sound tax base with residential, commercial, and industrial taxation being fair and equitable," said Finch.

McLain responded to the charges "I suggest that Brandes go back and talk to the people on the 1968 committee and review the general plan then in context of the time. He is trying to hold me responsible for the work of nearly 100 people. I wish he would spend more time telling the citizens of the community things we would represent rather than taking potshots at me.

"Where was he when we had the most recent budget set session last summer?" McLain called Brandes criticism "a cheap shot".

- Responding to Finch's criticism, McLain said he should "go back and reread the facts I didn't guarantee any sewer connections. We can go back and forth all day, talking about what happened yesterday. The only time we hear Finch as an advocate about the community is during election time." — by Ron McNicoll

Viet family will leave

Sad farewell of the Nguyen family

PLEASANTON — Four mattresses lean against the doorway, barely out of the icy rain.

The baby's high chair is outside ready to go, while the baby, lying on the bare carpet in the empty apartment, sucks on his last bottle of orange juice.

The Nguyen family is moving to San Francisco today. They've spent seven months in Pleasanton, living on $399 a month welfare in a modern apartment on Sonoma Drive.

It's been a hard seven months, but also a time filled with warm new friendships and unexpected kindnesses. Their local sponsor, Alice Freiking, and other friends got together to give Lanh and Liem Nguyen and their three children clothes, pots and pans and even an old Toyota to replace the bike Liem was using for transportation.

Their toddler, Kathy, was accepted in the Ark's nursery program. Meanwhile, seven-year-old Mimi fell in love with her friendly second-grade teacher, Barbara Fowler of Valley View School.

Liem Nguyen had been a Vietnamese army captain, his wife Lanh a translator for the U.S. government in Saigon for 10 years. "We lived very well," Mrs. Nguyen recalls. "We always had everything we wanted, almost. I used to ask whether we might be in danger if we lost the war, but the U.S. government always reassured me that we'd never lose."

Then came the day she got one hour's notice to leave their nice home and car, say goodbye to all their relatives, scoop their belongings into two suitcases and get on a plane that would take them far away from Saigon. Because of their military connections, they would surely be shot if they stayed behind, they were told.

Lanh is angry now as she recalls the evacuation. "I worked for the U.S. military for 10 years, yet they wouldn't let me bring anyone else in my family with me. They even made me throw away my Vietnamese - English dictionary at the airport — they said it was too heavy.

"Yet they went around picking up people off the streets to evacuate, people who had nothing to do with the U.S. government and were in no danger at all."

She wonders what has happened to her two brothers, both soldiers who were not evacuated, and to a niece she wanted to bring with her to watch the three children so she could work.

The family arrived in Pleasanton last July, and Liem got into the Livermore - Amador Valley Regional Occupation Program (ROP) in September. He became a trainee in a two-year course which would have made him an operator in a sewage treatment plant at a starting pay of $1,000 a month.

"That was the only thing available when he first hit here," his teacher, Jerry Taylor of Livermore's treatment plant, explained. "But it's a good field; the sky's the limit."

Taylor was pleased at Liem's progress despite a complete language barrier — the former military officer had never needed to learn English.

But two years seemed an endless period to the father of three, who had never before needed to ask for money and now was receiving public assistance.

A cousin from Vietnam who is now living in San Francisco persuaded him to move his reluctant family to the city. There, they will be able to take advantage of federally - subsidized housing and a college education where he will receive an income while going to school.

"We hate to leave Pleasanton. The people have been so good to us here, and we like it very much," Lanh said longingly as she packed up the last of the groceries for their move.

"We have many friends. There's no one to blame." — by Pat Kennedy

A plan for sewer hookups

PLEASANTON — It might be possible to create some new sewer connections for previously unsewered properties in the cities by downzoning some properties.

That was the suggestion raised to the The Times Wednesday night by Planning Commission Chairman Walt Wood.

Wood was moved to the thought by Stoneson Corporation's proposal at the planning commission meeting Wednesday night to downzone its own 22 acres of residential property, cutting the density by about one-third. Stoneson has had condominiums planned for the land at 6.4 units per acre, but expensive condominiums are not selling well, so Stoneson is wants to switch to conventional housing at four units per acre. It would be mean a reduction of 50 or so units on the 22 acres.

This has prompted Wood to wonder if the 55 sewer connections saved could be transferred to other development. He will ask the city attorney's opinion on the matter.

If it is legal, city downzoning of land might be the solution to a couple of situations before the city. The city faces a suit from Doctors Schlies and Clementson for 11 sewer connections on Santa Rita Road. The doctors were not party to the 1972 sewer agreement.

There also has been talk of encouraging Willow West to develop a regional shopping center on Hopyard Road. Willow West was not party to the 1972 sewer agreement, either, it would have to obtain the necessary connections.

City Atttorney Ken Scheidig was busy with depositions yesterday and could not comment on Wood's speculation.

The Stoneson application for the 87 single family homes on the 22 acres was continued by the planning commission Mednesday night to allow neighbors time to confer with the builder on the consequences of the rezoning. — by Ron McNicoll



Mimi bids goodbye to teacher Barbara Fowler and classmates

Fire protection record

Stats reinforce McCloud's administration

"The coordinated approach to planning and delivery of public safety in Pleasanton is nothing more than cooperation between the Police and Fire departments. We believe there should have been cooperation many years ago. accomplished by any number of people already on the city staff."

That argument is advanced by Union Local 1974 of the International Fire Fighters in rebuttal to the concept of a "Public Safety Department" for Pleasanton. More specifically, it is a rejection of the arguments put forward by Public Safety Director Walter McCloud, the man who hammered out several administrative changes in the 13 months he held that "interim post," and who promises to make several more, now that he has been given the formal and fulltime task of running both the city's fire fighting and police services. It is proving to be quite a challenge.

"We can accomplish a great deal administratively, without any 'merging of the two departments' that seems to bother some people very much," McCloud says. Just in setting up a central purchasing system through city hall "we removed one fire officer from a great deal of stock taking, and made that man available for more active duty."

By making the fire department answer all injury-accident calls ("because fire fighters are better trained in first aid") that department in 1975 handled 37 percent more calls than it handled in 1974.

"That is simply getting better use out of trained personnel, at no increase in cost to the taxpayer, but with much better service to the public." McCloud makes it clear that "It is our job — police officer or fire fighter — to protect lives and property, and in that I see no conflict between the two departments."

With 28 fulltime officers in each of those departments, McCloud acknowledges that "we are short staffed. Every year we ask for six or eight more people, and every year we get one or two, if that." But that is "the city council's problem, they have a lot of requests for new personnel everywhere, and just so much money to go around. We take our cuts like everyone else on the payroll."

Pleasanton's expenditure for "safety services" shows up in the stat sheets. In 1975, Fremont had one on-duty fire fighter for each 3,372 residents; Livermore had one per 4,545 residents; VCSD had a ratio of one to 4,666; Pleasanton had one fireman for each 4,347 citizens.

But in numbers of engine companies available for fire response, Pleasanton was the per-capita leader among those seven South County departments — one company for every 10,666 residents. (Livermore is highest with one company available for every 16,666 residents)

"Our record in fire supression and crime supression is very good, and I am proud of the personnel we have in both those departments," McCloud says. He also gives a great deal of credit to "the captains who actually run the two departments — Captain Bert Sherry in fire, and Captain Ron Nelson in police. Both of these men are veterans, with good, solid backgrounds. I'm the administrator, but they make the program work."

Does this "co-ordinated effort" work to the advantage of the people who rely on those services?

McCloud points to the 1975 report on fire responses. There were 798 such responses for PFD last year, 573 of them (70 percent) dealing with non-fire needs. Of the 47 "structure fires," just five resulted in losses of $5000 or more.

"Our per capita loss from fire in 1975 was $5.31, lower than four of the South County's seven departments," McCloud points out.

On the police side, Pleasanton's per-capita record on incidents of crime is among the state's lowest.

"My job is to provide the best possible safety service to the people of Pleasanton with the tax dollars available," the city's new Director of Safety Services says "I think we are doing that now, and I think we can continue to do it, if they'll just give us a chance." — by John Edmands



Snow-in Pleasanton?

Children new to it experienced a great delight in scooping big handfuls of snow as flakes fell in yesterday's freak weather. These tots, from the Pleasanton Recreation Department - sponsored Gingerbread House, found this patch of valley - wide snow at Kottinger Park. Three inches of snow dropped in the valley, a U.S. Weather Bureau spokesman said.

Times photo by Al Fischer

Times writer wins poet license

Who can figure out Ron McNicoll?

Certainly not the tall, tousle - haired writer himself, a refugee from Minneapolis who moved to the Bay Area 10 years ago to be around beatnik poets and instead ended up in the bucolic surroundings of the Pleasanton Times.

Certainly not his readers, who pick up his first book, "Sail Away, Silvery Moon," expecting poems as romantic as the title and find angry political statements among the poems of self - discovery and romance.

Certainly not his colleagues at the Times, who are never quite sure whether he'll show up for work in blue denim shirt and climbing boots, or white shirt and tie.

The general public will have a chance to puzzle over the Valley's newest celebrity on Thursday night, which McNicoll with characteristic punsterism has declared "Lincoln Up With Poetry Night."

And with his characteristic combination of bravado and shyness, he has invited one and all to his book autograph party at Book Haven, 166 South J St., between 8 and 9:30 p.m. "Probably not many people will show up," he predicts.

"Sail Away, Silvery Moon" costs just $1 and of course ample stock will be on hand for the occasion at Celia Baker's bookstore. It was published by Holmganger's Press of Alamo, a small publishing company run by poet Gary Elder. The book will be distributed nationwide.

McNicoll, 37, has seen his work published in several poetry collections. He has already completed a second manuscript which has won admiration from the prestigious City Lights publishing house of San Francisco.

"Collect me before I'm famous," he advises — half hoping, half laughing at himself.

But if McNicoll doesn't take himself seriously all the time, he doesn't joke around when it comes to politics or writing.

A product of Catholic schools, he started writing poetry while still a Republican, in St. Thomas College in St. Paul, Minn.

"It's a short, refined way of imagining things," he says — "A good fantasy trip."

At first he admired the work of Robert Frost, later imitated the German poet, Ranier Maria Rilke. While doing graduate work at the University of Minnesota in the early sixties, he began to admire concrete imagists like William Carlos Williams and the "beat poets like Allen Ginsberg, Larence Ferlinghetti, Gregory Corso.

He moved to the West Coast to get into the San Francisco poetry scene, and instead ended up teaching high school English in Lompoc.

A year later, he found a teaching job in Alameda and lived in Berkeley, "arguing the great issues of the day" in Berkeley political circles, and reading poems at the Coffee Gallery in San Francisco, although never getting to know the "superstars" like Ferlinghetti.

"I was in my 20's. That's the age everybody ought to be," McNicoll remembers wistfully.

His first permanent full-time journalism job was at the crusading Alameda Sun, where he eventually became an editor. In 1967, the trail led to The Independent in Livermore, a job he held until joining The Times last fall.

But local residents know McNicoll for more than his newspaper work. He helped to start the local anti-war movement in 1968, launched the short-lived Valley Free University and Universal Life Fellowship and in general tried to fill the "big social and political vacuum" in the Valley.

He also tried to fill an entertainment vacuum by working in a pizza parlor as a standup comedian, and still has fantasies of cracking jokes for a living.

No longer into the "polemics" of the late sixties, McNicoll now tries to reach the individual consciousness through his poems, which he describes as "partly humorous, partly romantic, partly sarcastic, with a few attempts at pure aesthetic beauty."

Not that he's changed his political tune. "I have a big admiration for the three GE engineers in San Jose who quit their jobs last week because they felt nuclear power plants were unsafe," he says.

"Be sure and put that in your story."

— by Pat Kennedy



Poet and punster Ron McNicoll of Livermore displays his new poetry book, "Sail Away, Silvery Moon" as beatnik heroes Neal Cassady and Jack Kerouac look on from a nostalgia article up on the wall. McNicoll will sign his book at 8 p.m. Thursday, Feb. 12, at gook Haven, 166 South J Street, Livermore, in an event he bills "Lincoln Up With Poetry."

(Times Photo by Peter Griffith)

Approval predicted near

Zone 7 ready to move?

LIVERMORE — With the approval of the Zone 7 board of directors, the first stage of its 16-member staff move from county offices in Hayward to the Valley should be accomplished in 30 days.

That was the prediction of zone administration committee chairman Robert Pearson after the full board okayed the move Tuesday night.

Chief Engineer Mun Mar and his secretary will be moved to temporary quarters in the Del Valle Treatment Plant in the first stage of the plan.

The rest of the Water Resources and Conservation division will move when a permanent building is found to house them.

The board authorized staff to begin preliminary design of a building to accommodate 25 people. The staff will consider both an addition to the Del Valle plant and a separate building.

"Most of the directors favor the Del Valle site," said Pearson, "but "because we already own the land, but we may consider other locations."

Pearson was unable to estimate when the second stage of the move would be accomplished. Zone chairman David Harris, however, said he hoped the entire move could be completed within one year.

The valley move has been a pet project of Harris, who claims the move will enable the zone to do a better job for valley residents.

The zone, an Alameda County agency, is now headquartered in Hayward at the county offices Zone 7 is one of 10 districts of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District. It accounts for 50 per cent of the land and 30 per cent of the ACFCWCD'd budget.

The move does not have the support of the entire board. Vice Chairman Robert Becker said the board was "going off half-cocked."

Becker was the only director to vote against the administration committee's recommendations.

"I have no basic problem with having some of the zone's functions located here in the valley," said Becker. "But I could not accept the committee's recommendations without more data to support it."

Becker said the committee had failed to provide sufficient information about inconvenience to the rest of the county staff, time required for traveling from the valley to Hayward, and cost estimates.

"I wanted to know more about the degree of interaction between our staff and other county offices — real estate, legal, engineering," said Becker. "Without that information, I couldn't accept the proposal."

Pearson said the staff should have a preliminary plan to present to the board by its April meeting.

Planners proposal hit

Traffic snarl due soon?

PLEASANTON — The danger of future traffic congestion at the corner of Las Positas Boulevard and Santa Rita Road was hit by several residents Wedenesday night.

The residents brought their concerns to the planning commission during its hearing on the proposed environmental element to the general plan. It was the only issue concerning the general plan which was raised by the public.

The residents proposed that the city scrap its plans to hook Stoneridge Drive into Las Positas Boulevard east of Hopyard Road because that would bring heavy trucks from the industrial area to the intersection of Las Positas and Santa Rita Road.

The future west valley branch of Valley Memorial Hospital will be near the intersection and heavy truck traffic is undesirable in such an area, said Val Vista resident Don Savery Robert Pearson, former mayor of the city and a Pleasanton Meadows resident, was concerned that the congestion would mar the only entrace entrance to the Pleasanton Meadows tract.

Pearson proposed an alternate routing in which Stoneridge would journey northward to the freeway and serve as a frontage road all the way to the Tassajara Road and I-580 interchange.

Pearson believes this would also open up access to the undeveloped Southern Pacific industrial lands and help stimulate business on old Santa Rita Road.

Commissioner Howard Garrigan said that such a plan was envisioned for Stoneridge Drive many years ago, but an expensive railroad underpass would be needed at the Southern Pacific tracks.

Chairman Walt Wood said no roads would be decided until public hearings had been held, but he was glad that citizens had come to the planning commission in the interests of good communication. "We've taken a step ahead when citizens not only come here to object to something, but propose their alternatives, too," said Wood.

Sandia honors lab veterans

Sandia Laboratories honored eight employes last month in recognition of long-term service to the Energy Research and Development Program.

A 25-year award was presented to Francis J. Murar of Turrini Court in Danville. Clarence A. Loveless of Cartier Drive in Livermore received a 20-year award. Those receiving 15-year awards were Hans G. Birnbaum and Roger L. Busbee, both of Livermore. Ten-year awards went to Richard C. Wayne of Pleasanton and Jesse Watts of Hayward.

Tazwell T. Bramlette and Charles M. Hartwig, both of Livermore received five-year awards.

Many activities at Wells school

DUBLIN — Wells Intermediate School has scheduled a wealth of activities for students during the month of February.

First event for seventh and eighth graders is the Valentine's dance this Friday from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. at the school. A disc jockey from radio station KKIQ will be present to play records for those in attendance.

Next Tuesday, seventh and eighth graders will have a roller skating party at Dublin Rollarena. Seventh graders are scheduled at 6:45 p.m. and eighth graders at 7 p.m. Cost is $1 for Wells students only. Skate boards will be presented as door prizes.

On the 21st, students will take their annual snow trip to Strawberry where they'll be able to skim down the Bumblebee Tobogfan Run.

An intermediate grades basketball tournament, involving teams from Wells and Donlon, is scheduled Feb. 27 at Dublin High School.

Valley Obituary

Ruby Hebenstreich

Ruby Hebenstreich, 53, a native of Australia and 17-year Livermore resident, died Wednesday following a short illness.

She is survived by her husband, Frank; sons Richard, Danny, Robert, Frank Jr., and Steven; and daughters Mrs. Dorothy Mooney and Beryl Ann, all of Livermore. She also leaves 10 grandchildren and many nieces and nephews.

Four sisters and two brothers in Australia also survive.

Services will be held at 2 p.m., Saturday, in the Chapel of Callaghan Mortuary, 3833 East Ave., Livermore, followed by interment in Roselawn Cemetery.

Donations may be made to a favorite charity.

Friends may call at the mortuary chapel after noon today.

Drama Day still scheduled

Contrary to a rumor circulating, the valley-wide Drama Day for girl scout troops is set, as scheduled. Saturday, Feb. 7 from 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. at Amador High School. For information or registration contact Sharon Kosch at 846-5285.

Card of Thanks

We gratefully acknowledge the kindness and help of all our friends in our recent bereavement. With a special thanks to the staff of The First National Bank of Pleasanton.

The Families of
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and Jennie Sousa

No permits in January

LIVERMORE — No permits for new dwellings, duplexes, or multiple residences were issued during the first month of the year, according to the activity report compiled by the building inspection department.

One permit was issued in the new "non-residential" category for a detached garage valued at $3,000; 35 permits for residential additions, repairs, alterations, and demolitions; four permits for non - residential additions, repairs, alterations, and demolitions, and 28 permits for "other new structures" such as swimming pools, patios, and storage sheds.

In addition, a total of 333 permits were issued during January for plumbing, mechanical, electrical, house moving, signs, building permits, plan check fees, and residential building reports. There were no sewer connection permits and 45 encroachment permits.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING BY ALAMEDA COUNTY ZONING ADMINISTRATOR LAURELL CHAMBERLIN (OWNER) AND DUBLIN PLAZA MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION (LESSEE), CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT C-3066

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Alameda County Zoning Administrator will hold a PUBLIC HEARING on the following matter:

CONDITIONAL USE PERMIT C-3066, APPLICATION OF LAURELL CHAMBERLIN (OWNER) AND DUBLIN PLAZA MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION (LESSEE) for a County Fair (carnival) March 10 through March 14, 1976, in a C-1 (Retail Business) District, located at 7225 Regional Street, west side, 200' south of the intersection with Amador Valley Boulevard, Dublin, Assessor's No. 941-305-16, as shown on a plot plan on file with this Department.

Said PUBLIC HEARING will be held at the hour of 1:30 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1976, in the County of Alameda Public Works Building, Auditorium, 399 Elmhurst Street, Hayward, California, at which time and place any and all persons interested therein may appear and be heard.

RICHARD P. FLYNN
ZONING ADMINISTRATOR
ALAMEDA COUNTY
PLANNING DEPARTMENT
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF ALAMEDA
No. H-07056-2
Department No. 26

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN by the undersigned, HERBERT E. STAHLNECKER, Executor of the Estate of HELEN C. STAHLNECKER, also known as HELEN STAHLNECKER, Deceased, to all persons having claims against the said decedent, within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to either file them, with the necessary vouchers, in the office of the clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, or exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, to me, at the Law Offices of AMARAL & WALKER, 62 West Neal Street, Pleasanton, Alameda County, California, which place the undersigned selects as the place of business in all matters connected with said estate.

Herbert E. Stahlnecker
Executor of the Estate of
HELEN C. STAHLNECKER,
also known as
HELEN STAHLNECKER,
Deceased.

Dated at Pleasanton, California, the 16th day of January, 1976.

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Home Economists

The Del Valle Home Economists will tour the kitchens of the St.Francis Hotel in San Francisco Tuesday, Feb. 20.

The tour begins at 10:30 a.m. at the Post Street entrance to the hotel, to be followed by lunch at the hotel.

Cost of the tour and luncheon is $6 per person. Guests are welcome to join the group and may contact Mary Helen Clements at 447-0983 for more information.

Graduate home economists or professionals in related fields are eligible for membership in the club. For more information contact Biolet Ebert at 447-9413

VFW

The Livermore Valley VFW Auxiliary will honor George Washington's birthday Wednesday, Feb. 11.

A presentation will be made by James Turner whose American military collection is on display currently at The Squire, 1983 Second St., Livermore. A certificate will be presented to the auxiliary on behalf of the National Home for Orphans for filling its quota in contributions to support the home.

The agenda also includes plans for the Feb. 25 celebration of the auxiliary's 27th anniversary. Chairman for the event is Lydia Cruse, assisted by Beryl LaConte.

PATIO

Livermore Police Detective Jim Serna will discuss child molestation before members of the Jackson Avenue PATIO club Thursday, Feb.5 at 8 p.m.

The club assembles at the Jackson Avenue School's multi - purpose room at 8 p.m.

The program is the first of a series of parent - education presentations open to the public by PATIO.

ACAMR

John Luchese will speak on "Camping Unlimited," a non - profit organization serving mentally and physically handicapped persons at the Feb. 9 meeting of ADAMR (Alameda County Association for the Mentally Retarded.)

The group convenes at 8 p.m. at the Vinwood Lodge, 35 Fenton Ave., Livermore. For more information contact Steve Pinney at 846-5944.

Exchange

Music, movement and Melaika will greet members of the San Ramon - Amador Valley Exchange Club Thursday, Feb. 12.

Melaika, a San Ramon Valley resident, will entertain the club with a belly - dancing demonstration, which includes an explanation of movements of the dance and costume.

The club convenes at the Hungry Hunter restaurant at noon.

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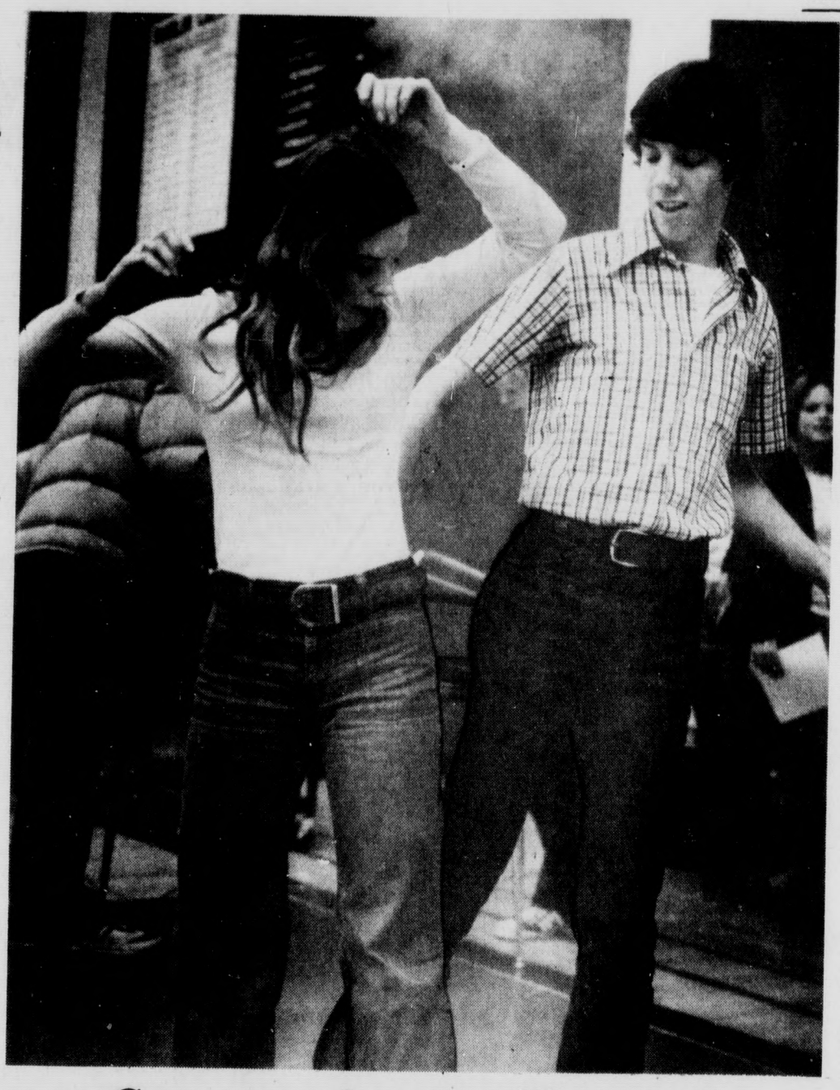
The Pleasanton Women's Club convenes at 11 a.m. Tuesday, Feb. 10 for a demonstration on meat-cutting and how to save meat money by Marjie Thompson.

Meat used in the demonstration will be given away at the meeting. Members will bring sandwiches, with coffee and dessert provided.

AARP

The Livermore - Amador Chapter of the American Associaton of Retired Persons gathers Friday, Feb. 13 at the Livermore Recreation Center at noon.

A Valentine card party, with bridge and whist, will be open to the public at 1:30 p.m. following the meeting.



Can you dance all night?

A 52-hour dance marathon, 'Dance for those who can't,' is being organized by the Snoopy Juniorettes of Dublin Feb. 13-15 at Dublin High School cafeteria beginning at noon Friday. Expected celebrities to appear at the event include Pat McCormick of 'Dialing for Dollars,' Sean O'Callaghan of KLOK-Radio, Reggie Jackson of the Oakland A's, Ben Davidson and Dan Connors, former Oakland Raiders, and Carlos Flores, Golden Bay Chapter poster child. Everyone is invited to cheer the couples on, and for those interested in dancing call: 828-6864 or 829-0851. All proceeds benefit the Muscular Dystrophy Association.

Mardi Gras weekend

Three Mardi Gras events will brighten the weekend beginning with a cheese-making party hosted by Candidate Tony Macchiano tonight at 8 p.m.

The place is the Cheese Factory in Pleasanton, of course, with party-goers making their own cheese at $8 per couple or $4 per person. The factory will age each cheese for pick-up at a later date.

For ticket information contact Connie Heitman at 846-5856, Martie Vassallo at 846-3973 or Renee Spiliotopoulous at 846-8477.

Active Pleasantonites may compete in a Mixed Doubles Tennis Tournament planned Sunday, Feb. 8 by Candidate Denyse Christensen at the Tennis Faire Indoor Courts.

Entry fee at $7.50 per person includes a fresh crab luncheon for participants and a gift from Denyse's sponsor, the Elegant Bib of Alamo.

To enter the tournament contact Denyse at 846-3295 or 846-6426, or Marv Silva at the Tennis Faire.

For more sedentary citizens, Candidate Phyllis Clark will host a bridge party at the Century House Sunday, Feb. 8.

Champagne punch will be served at 11 a m with lunch following at, $5 per person. Card play begins after lunch. Prizes for top players and a door prize are included.

Call in advance for reservations: Peggy Yoskowitz at 846-8595 or Kathy Pilkington at 462-2434.

All events are sponsored by the Pleasanton Junior Women's Club and will benefit the Pleasanton Emergency Relief Fund, the Tri-Valley Volunteer Bureau, Valley Memorial Hospital and the Pleasanton Bicentennial Commission.

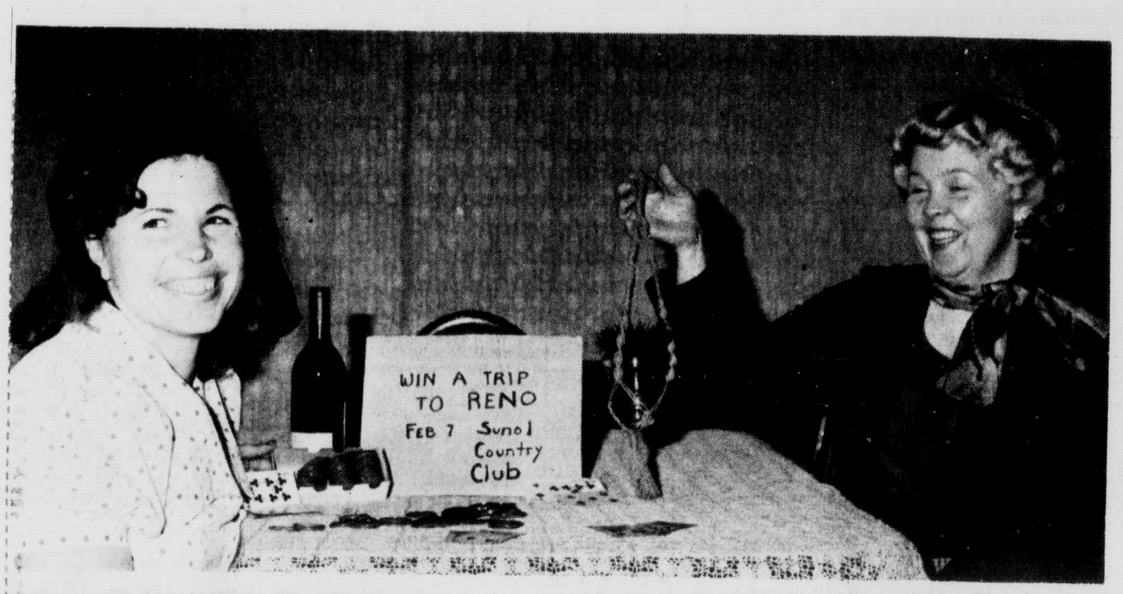
Card party

The public is invited to a card party sponsored by the Livermore Business and Professional Women's Club at the Livermore Recreation Center at 1:30 p.m., Friday, Feb. 6.

Donation is 50 cents for bridge, pinochle and whist. Refreshments will follow and a bake sale will be conducted in conjunction with the card party.

Rebekahs

John Dykes will be installed as noble grand of Livermore Lodge No. 219, I.O.O.F., and Doris Bankhead as noble grand of Livermore Rebekah Lodge No. 154, at a joint public installation Saturday, Feb. 7 at 8 p.m. at the Odd Fellows Temple.



Rendezvous with Lady Luck

Laugh your troubles away at the annual Reno Night set Saturday, Feb. 7 at the Sunol Country Club by the Dublin Junior Women's Club. Juniors Millie Niven and Joy Milliken promise prizes for party-goers including a big trip to Reno for two. The festivities open with cocktails at 7 p.m., followed by a buffet dinner and dancing to the music of 'B.F.C.Ltd.' Games of chance of every description will entertain guests, while donations benefit the Juniors community projects. After-five costume is recommended for the event at $20 per couple. Tickets are available from Millie at 828-5498 or any Junior.

Livermore Senior Citizens

This Sunday, Feb. 8, members of the Livermore Senior Citizens Club will sign-up for a trip to Sacramento planned March 11, including a tour of the Capitol and Sutter's Fort.

Sign-ups will also be accepted for a March 24-25 outing to Reno. Cost of the Reno trip is $22.50 per person with good returns. For reservations for either event call Ruth Stewart at 455-1505.

The club's chorale group practices Tuesdays at the Vinwood Lodge from 1 to 3 p.m.; arts and crafts group gathers Mondays from 1 to 3 p.m. at the Livermore Recreation Center: and card-players convene Thursdays at the center from 1 to 3 p.m. The next knitting and crochet class is set for Thursday, Feb. 12 at the center from 1 to 3 p.m.

Folk music

Music lovers and musicians are welcome to the Feb. 12 meeting of the Livermore Valley Folk Music Club at the Unitarian fellowship hall, 4260 First St., Livermore.

Persons who play folk, country, bluegrass or classical music are invited to bring their instruments. Doors open at 7:30 p.m. and coffee is provided at no charge.

For more information contact Mary Singleton at 462-1496.

La Leche

The advantages of breastfeeding will be the topic of discussion at the Feb. 12 meeting of La Leche League. Hostess will be Mrs. Teri Shikany of 645 Emerald St., Livermore.

Expectant, as well as nursing mothers and their babies are welcome to the 7:45 p.m. meeting. La Leche offers encouragement to mothers, as well as information about breastfeeding through free literature and a lending library.

All interested persons are welcome to meetings. Contact Erma McCue at 443-1512 for mroe information.

Beta Sigma

Members of the Livermore - Amador Valley City Council of Beta Sigma Phi are making final preparations for the annual Valentine Ball set Saturday, Feb. 7 at Shannon Community Center in Dublin.

Highlight of the gala from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. is the crowning of sweethearts chosen by each one of the nine chapters in the council. The ball helps to fund Beta Sigma Phi's contribution to the Cystic Fibrosis and Stanford Kidney foundations.

Community-wide volunteer needs

The Tri-Valley Volunteer Bureau is a clearinghouse for the valley community where human needs and human resources are matched. The bureau maintains an up-to-date inventory of types of volunteers needed. To find out how you can help, call the bureau at 462-3570. The bureau is located at the Twin Valley YMCA building, 287 Rose Ave., Pleasanton, and is open Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

AMONG CURRENT NEEDS

- Volunteers — male or female from 16 years of age to senior citizen — for low-income day care center.
- Persons to help initiate and operate a pre-school education program. Focus will be on perceptual motor development.
- Skilled or unskilled office workers for a variety of situafions.
- Library aides at elementary school.
- Big Brothers for many valley children.

Tri-City Toastmasters

The Tri-City Toastmasters are looking for "persons with a need for improved leadership and communicative skills to join a growing non-profit, non-partisan, equal opportunity organization."

The club believes it can help individuals be better prepared for stiff competition for jobs today through development of the ability to think, learn and communicate.

The club meets Mondays at 7:30 p.m. at State Savings and Loan Association, and welcomes visitors. Transportation may be arranged through Hank Englehardt at 846-9351, Jerry Wijnen at 846-7692 or Martin Abrams at 447-6215 who may also provide further information.

Child care

Pleasanton Valley Co - op babysitting is a club of mothers who babysit for each other day or night. The club has some limited openings for new members. For information call Donna Lumbard, 462-1813.

Soroptimists

Rae Ising, chairman of the committee for the "Women Helping Women" Award sponsored by the Livermore Soroptimists, announced that a selection of a woman in the community who has contributed most toward the advancement of women this year has been made.

The recipient of the award will be declared at the Feb. 10 meeting of the Soroptimists at the Livermore Rancher Restaurant at noon.

Livermore Newcomers

The Potpourri group of the Livermore Newcomers Club gathers Tuesday, Feb. 10 at the home of Linda Johnson.

Speaker at the 7:30 p.m. program will be dream analyst Ed Garner. Garner studied under Ann Farraday, author of "The Dream Game" and "Dream Forever." Guests will be encouraged to write down their dreams for interpretation.

Contact Ms. Johnson at 455-0110 if planning to attend the event or for more information.

The Newcomers arts and crafts group convenes at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday, Feb. 11 at the home of Linda Johnson.

The group will assemble crocheted necklaces. If planning to attend contact Mary Ann Barcklay at 443-8906.

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CC protects its 'open spaces'

Fourteen months ago, a majority of Contra Costa County voters pledged their tax support to the preservation of open space.

Voters here joined millions of Californians at the polls in the 1974 general election to pass state Proposition 1.

Prop. 1, a bond act to provide $250 million for the purchase and development of land for recreational uses, has translated into more than $2.41 million for Contra Costa County.

Those dollars are slowly being converted into "open space preservation."

The cities of Clayton, Concord, Lafayette, Moraga and Walnut Creek have committed their shares toward acquisition of land for expansion of the East Bay's Regional Park system.

In December, Concord received a check for $600,000, including Clayton's and Walnut Creek's shares, which will be used to purchase Upper Lime Ridge.

The state has designated the project the Lime Ridge Regional Park proposal, and the three cities involved expect to turn over an estimated 380 acres to East Bay Regional Parks for eventual development.

Lafayette and Moraga have given their $150,760 Prop. 1 grant to East Bay Regional Park District for the Lafayette-Moraga Regional Trailway.

Pleasant Hill has chosen to double the size of Paso Nogal Park by using its $121,000 grant for the purchase of 29 adjoining acres.

Martinez has pledged its allocation for the acquisition and development of "Waterfront Park."

"Preseration of open space is incidental to the acquisiton of recreational land," says state park specialist Owen Blackburn.

While Prop. 1 isn't actually designed to preserve open space, local cities see "open space preservation" as an important part of the act.

All of the cities have interest in preserving their hills and ridgelines.

Residents of Walnut Creek have conceived one of the most active open space acquisition programs and are using state bond money to supplement local bond monies to achieve their goals.

In 1974, Walnut Creek voters approved a tax hike and a bond issue to provide the open space program with more than $5 million.

Prop. 1, according to one observer, has provided a means to control development and preserve the natural environment.



A portion of Upper Lime Ridge, an area (center of photograph) which separates Concord and Walnut Creek along Ygnacio Valley Road, will soon be permanent open space.

So, what's new?



Thirteen local couples have new babies, according to reports from Bay Area hospitals.

John Muir, Walnut Creek, reports that Charles and Sue Poindexter of 2611 Meadow Glen Drive, San Ramon, welcomed a son Jan 20.

Valley Memorial Hospital, Livermore, records the following arrivals: Jan. 29, Robert and Barbara Doling, 309 Goshen Court, San Ramon, a girl;

Jan. 30, Fred and Rita Beaver, 2262 Walnut St., Livermore, a boy, David and Julie Coe, 4452 Arabian, Livermore, a girl, Stephen and Sherry Jones, 821 Cortez Court, Livermore, a boy.

Jan. 31, Keith and Linda Fidzgerald, 1052 Glenn Common Ave., Livermore, a boy; Glen and Linda Johnson, 48 Glacier Place, Livermore, a girl.

Kaiser Hospital, Walnut Creek, reports:

Jan. 22, Joseph and Teresa Ayres, 676 Brookfield Drive, Livermore, a boy;

Jan. 25, Birdie and Daniel Nieri, 6427 Ebensburg Lane, Dublin, a girl; Karen and Kenneth Wells, 224 Chestnut Court, San Ramon, a boy.

Jan. 27, Arthur and Deborah Hayes, 5862 Running Hills, Livermore, a girl; Peter and Barbara Royval, 987 El Rancho Drive, Livermore, a girl.

Saturday sports program

LIVERMORE — Boys and girls who would like to join the Saturday Sports Program featuring basketball, softball, earthball, and volleyball games on the weekend mornings should be at the Mendenhall School exercise room at 9 a.m. tomorrow.

The program emphasizes fun and is for children in the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades.

Ski trip cancelled

LIVERMORE — The Feb. 7 teen ski trip sponsored by the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District (LARPD) has been cancelled and those who signed up may either claim a refund at 71 Trevarno Road or apply their refund to classes in the spring and summer



Hill 'n Dale open house

The Hill'n Dale Parent Cooperative Nursery at Parks held its annual open house Saturday for parents of prospective students and parents of those presently enrolled. The children had a "glue-in" and are shown working on some of the many art projects available to them. Helping at right is parent Cam Wolff. Nursery school director is Courine Warren. Parents wishing enrollment information for the school should call Carol Withers at 846-5550 or Mrs. Warren at 828-1434. The school is located on Dougherty Road in Parks.

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Six at Junction win awards

LIVERMORE — Six Junction Intermediate School students are among the 13 Alameda County winners of the Alameda County Heart Association's "Science on a Shoestring" awards program.

They are: Debbie Spencer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Spencer; Keith Wong, son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Wong; Connie Walkup, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Connie Mack Walkup; Mike Sherwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. William sherwood; Billy Wardell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wardell; and Theresa Markkula, daughter of Mr. ang Mrs. Russell Markkula.

Debbie Spencer will receive a grant for $1.50 for her project, "Protection from Disease."

Calvin Wong will receive $14.50 to study the heart and circulatory system and how heart attacks form.

Calvin is also an eighth grader at Junction.

The four other winners, all students in Mrs. Charlotte Williams' eighth grade science class at Junction, will receive a combined total of $40 to conduct projects on pulse rate and heartbeat.

In announcing the awards, Bruce Whipperman, coordinator of the Heart Association program, said the young science enthusiasts were among 13 Alameda County students who were carefully selected for Science on a Shoestring grants. Each award is limited to $75 and is used by the recipient to buy the supplies necessary to conduct the proposed science project.

The awards are given each year in honor of the late Dr. Kenelm M. Benson, a former president of the Alameda County Heart Association. The contest is designed to encourage students to pursue careers in the biological sciences.

Park district conducts senior citizen survey

LIVERMORE — In an effort to determine the need for additional services and programs for the city's senior citizens, the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District (LARPD) will ask seniors to complete a survey on the topic.

No signature of identification will be required and the survey will ask seniors for the details of their interest in various activities and programs, the location of their place of residence, their income bracket, age and health status, need for transportation, and their knowledge of services now offered by the LARPD - sponsored Senior Service Center.

The survey forms are available now at the Recreation Center, 8th and H streets; LARPD offices, 71 Trevarno Road, and will be circulated at meetings of the Livermore Senior Citizens Club.

Local doctors will have forms and they also will be available at blood pressure clinics. Neighborhood aides will deliver them on their home visits.

The completed survey should be returned to Dorothy Svets, senior recreation supervisor for LARPD, by March 1. LARPD will tabulate the requests and release the results at a later date.

Part time position

LARPD needs naturalist

LIVERMORE — A part-time position (approximately 20 hours per week) for a recreation specialist - interpretive naturalist is available with the Livermore Area Recreation and Park District (LARPD).

Applicants must have graduated from a recognized college or university with specialization in interpretive science or a closely related field and have three years of responsible paid experience leading or directing nature oriented activities.

Possession of a valid California State Motor Vehicle operator's license also is required.

The position consists of directing, planning and organizing a variety of natural science programs and activities, utlilizing an array of available land and habitats.

Recruiting and training leaders and volunteers, presenting exhibits, tours and talks on natural science topics also will be required.

District application forms are available now at the LARPD office, 71 Trevarno Road, 447-7300.

Dublin parents to meet

DUBLN — The Dublin High School Parents Club will hold a general meeting on Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 8 p.m. in the Dublin High Little Theatre.

All parents and guardians of Dublin High students are urged to attend.

Items to be discussed include, 1) activities to date, 2) a possible tax increase due to the rising cost of education, and 3) pet participation on the Graduation Task Force, Budge Advisory and Principal Advisory committees.

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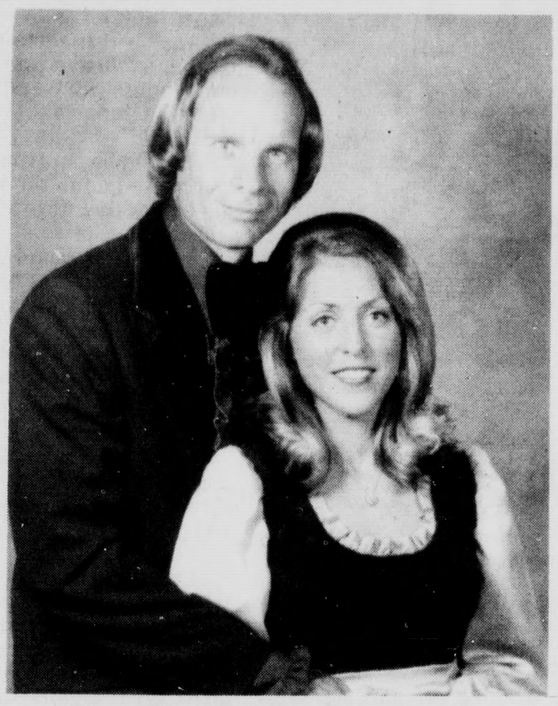
Charismatic Crusade at People's Church

LIVERMORE— A Charismatic Renewal Crusade will begin Feb. 8 and continue through Wednesday. Feb 11, at the People's Church, 1135 Bluebell Dr., Livermore (near the Holiday Inn).

Well-known Modesto and San Jose Charismatic Evangelist, Jim Sarnowsky will be ministering Sunday at 11 a.m. on "Standing in the Gap." Sunday evening at 6 his topic will be "Power in Praise."

Monday night at 7 p.m. Rev. Sarnowsky will speak on "The Baptism in the Holy Spirit and Speaking in other tongues." Tuesday at 7 p.m. will be "Miracle Night" with prayer for the sick, and Wednesday at 7 p.m. will be "Deliverence Night."

The public is cordially invited to attend every service. Your may phone 455-4250 or 455-4104 for further information.



Jim, Stephanie Sarnowsky

Bill Hall to speak

DUBLIN— Dr. Bill Hall, one of America's outstanding evangelists, will come to the First Baptist Church of Dublin-San Ramon, 23801 San Ramon Valley Blvd. (just ½ mile north of Alcosta Blvd.), to conduct special evangelistic services beginning Monday, Feb. 9 through Sunday Feb. 15.

The public is welcome and to share the inspiration and blessing of practical Bible centered messages, plus special music led by Bill Cleveland each evening (except Saturday) at 7:30 P.M.

Dr. Hall is widely known as a pulpit and radio speaker and is in demand for campaigns throughout the nation. He has preached over 1000 radio messages and conducted over 300 evangelistic campaigns in some 41 states reaching and winning thousands for Christ.

Having preached throughout the nation as an evangelist and having founded and pastored a fundamental Baptist church in Greenville, Tennessee, he has delt with problems of young and old, from the pulpit and in personal counseling. Being from a broken home, he has a special burden for the homes of America and in his meetings he has seen hundreds of family altars established.

The evangelist is a native of Memphis, Tenn. and was converted at the age of 17. He surrendered to the call to preach at the age of 18, while attending Memphis State University, and one week later preached his first sermon. The following summer he conducted his first his first revival campaign.

Dr. Hall is a graduate of Bob Jones University, Greenville, So. Carolina, the world's largest independent, fundamental school. He makes no apology for being a "fighting fundamentalist" or for being an outspoken foe of liberalism.

Pastor Bill Whitaker announced there will be free nursery care at each service. For more information call the church office, 828-8005.



Inter-faith luncheon

Evelyn Caccia (center) of St. Augustine's Church in Pleasanton will chairman the annual Inter-Faith Luncheon to be held in her church's parish hall, 900 East Angela, Thursday, Feb. 12, from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. The event will be co-hosted by some of the women shown with her planning the event who represent the various denominations throughout the tri-valley. Women from all the churches have received invitations, and the clergy of all faiths will be the honored guests. Although there is no admission charge, those attending are asked to bring either a hot dish or a salad. It is requested that a reservation be placed by Feb. 10 with Phyllis Hagaman, 846-4287

world wide pictures presents
time to run
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"Time To Run," a film that is a mixture of problems and solutions, will be shown Sunday, Feb. 8 at 6 p.m. at the Livermore Church of the Nazarene, 418 Junction Ave., and at 7 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, at the Valley View School on Adams Court in Pleasanton.

The feature, by World Wide Pictures, filmed on location in the Southern California area, stars Ed Nelson, Randall Carver, Barbara Sigel, Joan Winmill and Gordon Rigsby. Nelson plays Warren Cole, a hard driving success-oriented industrial and scientific engineer who, because of over-involvement with his work, has failed to communicate with his wife, Fran, played by Joan Winmill, or their son Jeff, played by screen newcomer, Randall Carver.

"Time to Run" allows the viewer to become involved on any one or more of the three different levels. Viewed purely as entertainment, it's the suspenseful story of Jeff's attempts at sabotage in the nuclear generating plant conceived, designed and managed by his father. Jeff strongly feels that the plant is a threat to the environment, and he puts his feelings into action.

Viewed on an emotional level, "Time to Run" is the deeply moving drama of the conflicts that are tearing a family apart — conflicts that develop between husband and wife, and between father and son. In an attempt to find freedom from the evergrowing hostilities, Jeff takes to the road, hoping to discover some meaning in his confused life.

Approached from a religious perspective, "Time to Run" is also a story of friction between Jeff and his girlfriend, Michelle, played by Barbara Sigel, who is a familiar face to television viewers Michelle has discovered a spiritual dimension in her life, and this aspect is very confusing to Jeff, who has little time for a "a God who would allow war, hatred, and suffering on earth."

"Time to Run" is a film that can help strengthen love relationships between people. It's a film that was made for families to attend — together

Valley Community

PLEASANTON— Beginning this Sunday Pastor Leron Heath of the Valley Community Church, will put forth a mini-series of messages on the meaning of the ten commandments, both for Israel's faith and the faith of the Christian church.

Valley Community Church meets in the multi-purpose room of the Amador Valley High School at 10 a.m. for worship service. At 10:30 Junior Church is held with Bible classes for all ages at 11 a.m.

Two special evening sessions will be held on Feb 22 and 29 in conjunction with the series dealing with archeological findings that bear directly to our understanding of the ten commandments in Israel's faith.

First Presbyterian

LIVERMORE— At the First Presbyterian Church of Livermore, the Rev. William Nebo is using II Corinthians, Chap. 9, as his text when he speaks of how we see the church as a family and home Elder Gib Marguth will assist as Lay Leader.

The sermon for the children will be based on the Prodipal Son Special music by the Sanctuary Choir will be "I Will Lift Up Mine Eyes." During the offertory, Shari Finan's solo will be "How Beautiful Upon the Mountain."

UYM will be meeting at the church at 1 p.m. for a field trip and will have no meeting Sunday evening.

United Methodist

DUBLIN— "Christ, the Visible God" will be Pastor Wayne Kessel's sermon topic for the 8:45 a.m. worship at Valleys United Methodist Church, meeting at Camp Parks Chapel in Dublin. The sermon is based on Collossians 1:15-23.

Church school classes for nursery through 8th grades meet at 8:45 a.m., with a coffee hour following the worship at 9:45. Methodist Youth Fellowship meets at the chapel at 7(30 p.m.

On Wed., Feb. 11, the youth and adult choir will rehearse at the chapel at 7 p.m. The adult Bible study group will meet at 8 p.m., discussing the life and teachings of Jesus, based on the Gospel of Matthew.

Sunol

SUNOL— Part one of a series of four entitled "The Little Family in Your Heart" will be the sermon at the 11 a.m. worship service at the Little Brown Church of Sunol, a community congregational church at 143 Kilkare Rd.

Women's fellowship will meet and choir practice will be held on Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Holy Cross

LIVERMORE — "On the Go with Jesus" is the theme of the message at the Sunday morning duplicate family worship services at Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Livermore. At the second service nine youth will celebrate the Confirmation of the Baptism covenant.

'Most valuable' contest opens

Local students are invited to compete for $200 in scholarships offered by the Livermore-Pleasanton Elks Lodge 2117.

The "Most Valuable Student" contest is part of a nationwide Elks tradition that gives away $740,200 a year.

The deadline for applying is Feb. 6. Students who want to know more about the qualifications may contact Bob Moyle, scholarship chairman, at 828-1064.

Students are judged on grades, leadership qualities and financial need.

Hospitality angels

DUBLIN— "Angels of Hospitality" is the sermon theme this Sunday concluding a series on Christian worship, at John Knox United Presbyterian Church in Dublin. Rev. Mr. Jim Griffes will be preaching during the 9:30 a.m.service of worship from Leviticus 19 and Matthew 25. The chancel choir will provide special music. Others leading in the service are Mr. Jim Hawk, assisting elder, and Miss Cindy Pleasant, seminarian-on-the-staff.

A presentation of Bibles to third grade children of the church school will take place during the early part of the 9:30 service, after which the children are dismissed to their classes in the Christian Education center.

The "Corinthian Celebration," a service of worship in the joyful style, and lively spirit of the early Christian Church (Corinthians, Chapters 11, 12 and 13) takes place at John Knox at 6:30 p.m. This evening service is an intimate but open gathering of people of all ages, with the emphasis on singing, prayer, sharing gifts, and most of all a feast of forgiveness, acceptance and love. The public is welcome and invited. Child care is provided in the nursery under the supervision of Susan Davis.

United Presbyterian

PLEASANTON— The Rev. Robert Vogt will preach about "The Church, the Light of the World" (I John, Chapt. 1) at both 9:30 and 11 a.m. services of the United Presbyherian Church Deacons will be ordained at the 9:30 a.m. service, elders at 11 a.m.

A brief ushering meeting will be held at 12:15 p.m.

Lynnewood

PLEASANTON — "How Mankind Must Struggle," a quotation from the book of Job, is the title of the sermon the Rev. J. Howard Acton will bring this Sunday at Lynnewood United Methodist Church, 4444 Black Ave., in Pleasanton. The book of Job deals with the eternal question: "What do you do when your life falls apart?"

The service begins at 10:40 a.m. New members will be received into the fellowship of the church at the close of the service. Sunday school classes for all ages begin at 9:30 a.m.

The church Council on Ministries meets at the church building Monday evening at 7:30. Bill Bigley is chairman, Bernice Mago is secretary and Pat Ackerman is lay leader.



The caltrop, known by the less sophisticated name of "Crowsfeet" during the Revolution, was a device with four metal points so arranged that when any three were on the ground the fourth projected upward as a hazard to horses' hooves. When the British evacuated Boston by sea in 1776 they sprinkled the last mile of the road into the city with caltrops to harass the American advance, The World Amanac recalls.

Springtown

LIVERMORE— The Rev. Ivan Estes of the Springtown Community Church has chosen "Show Me" as his sermon topic for Feb. 8 at 10:30 a m. Services are held in the Auditorium at the Recreation Center, 931 Larkspur Dr., in the Springtown area of Livermore.

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The event is sponsored by the United Methodist Women to support their mission work. Martha Wickliffe and Mary Alice Richardson are co-chairpersons.

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The Times
Editorial and Feature Page

John B. Edmands, Editor and Publisher

A fundamental chance wasted

If the busy "fudamentalist" movement of the past 12 months results in nothing more than a single school, or worse — a school within a school that responds to a chosen few, then the entire lesson of that campaign will be lost. And that would be a shame, for all parents and every child.

When this newspaper first explored the fundamental movement within a peninsula school district and then followed that campaign within this Valley, we saw a mainstream of concern for "reviving some of the basics in our public schools ... toning down the liberal kick."

It suggested little more than a healthy swing of education's pendulum, away from some of the extremes of recent evidence and back — if ever so slightly — to the rule of reading and writing and respect that has been the backbone of America's public education system.

Here was an opportunity to tell the school trustees and the teachers that unwalled pods and unstructured programs are bold new moves that must be tempered with understanding of the disadvantaged child, the undisciplined teacher or the school in financial deficit.

Here was a chance for all parents to ask — "Whatever happened to our basic values, and our basic instruction?" Instead, the fundamental movement has emerged — at least in Livermore — as the campaign of another kooky few, a new activism to be shunted off into a corner, providing special handling for an embarrassed handful of children before that vnture is laid to rest.

That will serve our educational process no better than the private schools which have always offered a desperate solution for those who could not abide public education's standard. We had hoped school administrators would have seen a challenge to improve that program which is available to all students; we had seen an opportunity to convince education's hierarchy that the pendulum has swung a bit too far, and now needs to be brought back, just a little.

But instead, the response seems to be to provide a new pendulum, and a new bell, there to let a few families toll their own tune, in obvious disharmony with the majority.

In other parts of this nation they would call that "de facto segregation." And we don't believe that serves us here, anymore than it served them there.

A lost leader

Whatever else it does, that vote by the Local Agency Formation Commission sends Livermore back to square one in the great game of directing this Valley's future.

From a position of leadership that has prevailed for a century or more, Livermore now finds itself today as little more than a third, or perhaps a fourth, urban center in these 500 square miles.

Of itself, perhaps that is not bad. Livermore is a fine city, with many attributes today and a bright promise for tomorrow. Its street pattern, its downtown area and its near - but - far proximity to the freeway give Livermore an edge over its neighbors. But the city always enjoyed those advantages, plus some others that now seem to be slipping away.

Whether any one urban center should be "the leader" in guiding this 500 - square - mile spread is not in question here. What we must face, however, is that the recent Livermore policies of isolationism ... of "SAVING" one community while ignoring the rest of the world, have in fact been a failure.

Even the Livermore council now recognizes that with a belated bid for "one million gallons of sewer capacity to attract industrial investors." But it may be too late.

The word has gone out, too many times over too many headlines, that Livermore is "anti growth," that the city's leadership prefers its status quo, and that we are the "Smog capital of the nation."

That kind of image is hard to erase. The Local Agency Formation Commission took Livermore at its word, when it agreed to freeze the city within its present boundaries, and let the rest of the Valley struggle ahead on its own.

College quiz

Desks in the nation's college classrooms are going begging, right? Wrong!

Well, then, all you've got to do to get in is prove the body is breathing and has passed some sort of high school course. Not so.

Over a half-million high school seniors are expected to take the college entrance exams this year and if the enrollment boom continues in the nation's colleges and universities, 1.9 million will enroll as college freshmen next fall.

With enrollments up almost 10 per cent last year — the highest one-year increase in a decade — admissions committees are raising their hopes and their standards.

This year, spokesmen predict, it will be harder than ever to be accepted by the 350 or so U.S. colleges and universities classified on the basis of admissions standards as "selective" or "highly selective."

So much for the dream of going to Stanford, one of the Claremont Colleges in California, Harvard or Wellesley.

Ah, but there's hope if you've set your sights on one of the state universities — like Hayward, Humboldt, Chico or Fresno.

Check mate Livermore — now who's King?



Hindsight/Foresight

Loiter in Dublin

One of the obligations of living in a "neighborhood," whether it's a housing tract, apartment complex or mixed bag of old homes and commercial addresses, is to care for one's property and see to it that no disturbing influence is visited upon the "neighbors."

An untold number of said disturbances have apparently engulfed residents around Dublin High School. The point where they've sought aid and relief from these disturbances from Dublin High and Amador district school officials, board members, the Sheriff's Department and even Supervisor John Murphy of the Alameda County Board of Supervisors.

This writer has talked with two of the men whose families have been bothered by this problem for months— one of the gentlemen saying its been a problem for the four years he's lived near the school.

The problem is apparently caused by young people, primarily Dublin High School students, using the front areas of homes in the immediate vicinity of the school for smoking dens, eating of foodstuffs and gathering in large numbers— upwards of 40 or 50 on some occasions according to the initiator of a petition seeking relief from this situation.

Dublin High School has an "open campus" policy which means students are not restricted to the campus but permitted to go off campus during lunch periods.

Those familiar with the Dublin High School area know that the nearest commercial areas (for making food purchases or buying of any other necessities) are about three blocks away. Not an overly long walk for those students without wheels and wishing to make purchases.

However, the situation apparently goes far beyond loitering students in front of or on the grounds of residences.

According to the two men concerned about this, the incidents include repeated acts of vandalism (one had a window broken earlier this week) during school hours, burglaries, obscene language and blocking of public thoroughfares.

As noted earlier, a petition has been completed, asking for "no loitering signs" and sent to the Board of Supervisors, Administration Building, 14th and Oak Streets, Oakland.

The petition contains 38 names, mostly residents of Brighton Drive, but also of Burnham Way, Callan Street, Frederiksen Lane and, Mansfield Avenue and Newport Court.

In addition, a meeting was scheduled at Dublin High between principal Bob Hagler. Amador superintendent Bruce Newlin, Sheriff's representatives and concerned home owners in the neighborhood.

The object is to abate the problem in a proper and speedy manner. But, in this situation, if Dublin High School is the root of this problem (by permitting students to infringe on neighbor properties) then it is their responsibility to correct it

—by AL FISCHER

Letter to the Editor

Ill advised

Copy of a letter to:
Mayor Ed Kinney:

As a resident of Pleasanton, I feel it is both my duty and my right to offer my feelings regarding the city council meeting of January 26, 1976.

My primary concern is the lack of depth of the report submitted to the council by the city manager. This report seemed to be the basis for his recommended consolidation of the city emergency services. The report offered no factual data on which an intelligent decision could possibly be based; on the contrary, the report consisted of generalities and philosophies concerning consolidation. The firemen who contested Mr. Edgar's position had, at least, gone to the trouble to obtain a rather impressive list of cities which have tried consolidation but which subsequently abandonded it. My question: Has the city staff done its homework?

My second concern is the seemingly off-handed manner in which the council dismissed the feelings of the residents who were concerned enough to turn out for a council meeting. This concern was expressed remarkably well by both residents and firefighters. Your decision was rather quick to say the least. My question: Was your decision made prior to the meeting and, if so, what the factual basis for that decision?

My last expression of concern is directed at two of the remarks made by the city manager in his opening presentation. Mr. Edgar commented that the firemen work a substandard shift because a portion of their time is spent in unproductive situations such as sleeping and eating. Does the city manager honestly feel that a firefighter should be fighting fires forty hours per week to earn his salary? The force is a ready force much like the military or any other emergency service. Personally, I would still feel their services were a necessary part of urban life even if the firefighters were never called out on a fire. Possibly Mr. Edgar's statement was an ill-advised reaction to what he thinks is an attack on one of his pet projects.

Further, I (along with my wife and nearly everyone else at the meeting) was quite disturbed at Mr. Edgar's characterization of those who have the audacity to disagree with him as "union zealots." A town with the quality of life which Pleasanton enjoys deserves a more professional approach from its city manager.

Richard A. Harvey
Pleasanton

round the town

(In keeping with this newspaper's policy of conducting in-depth interviews with all major candidates for public office, the following is a taped conversation which took place on Tuesday between "Ace" Edmands and "Dutch" Reagan This report does not necessarily reflect the newspaper's true feelings toward Reagan or Edmands. — The Editor.)

"Ace" — "It certainly was nice of you to grant us this exclusive interview, Mr. Reagan. I know our readers will be anxious to learn your views on all of the important issues."

"Dutch" — "I deny ever having said that $90 billion should be cut from the federal welfare budget and passed on to the local government, where all the voters live. It is all part of Gerry Ford's dirty tricks."

"Ace" — "I would prefer it if you waited until I asked the questions before you start giving me the answers, Mr. Reagan. This is being taped you know and I..."

"Dutch" — "Taped! Did you say 'taped'? Who sent you? — the Plumbers?? If this is Ford's way of trying to scuttle my campaign you can go back and tell him..."

"Ace" — "No, no. It's nothing like that. We reporters simply like to tape our interviews to assure greater accuracy. You were a reporter once, and you know how tough it can be to read those pencilled notes."

"Dutch" — "A sportscaster, not a reporter. With radio station WHO in Des Moines. Before that it was radio station WOC in Davenport. Got paid $5 per game for broadcasting university football games. Folks in Iowa used to say, 'Never know WOC's going on until you catch Dutch on WHO.' Heh heh."

"Ace" — "Can we stick to the facts, please. Now after your sportcasting career your only other training was as a Hollywood actor before you entered politics and..."

"Dutch" — " 'Life Is In The Air.'That was my first movie. I played a sportcaster, naturally. I followed that with 'Brother Rat' which co-starred my ex-wife. Then came the role of George Gipp in 'Knute Rockne, All American.' I began to get a feel for the great American story at that time. Holding the line, and that sort of thing."

"Ace" — "Yes, but I was really more interested in your foreign policy. Now in New Hampshire you indicated you would simply bomb hell out of the Russians if they didn't get out of Angola, pronto. Is that an indication of how you would approach all international problems, if you were president?"

"Dutch" — "Yes, and no. It all depends on the challenge one is faced with. Now take my role as Drake McHugh in 'King's Row.' Most folks believe it was my greatest part. That was where the surgeon cut off both my legs because he didn't like me romancing his daughter, you will remember. I view Angola in much the same manner."

"Ace" — "I don't think I follow you. Are you saying that only if the Russian's cut off our legs in Angola should America then retaliate?"

"Dutch" — "What I am saying is that you have to be ready for any situation. Take 'Santa Fe Trail.' I was General Custer in that one, but my approach to that little problem was nothing like the one I used in 'Winning Team' where I was Grover Cleveland Alexander. A person has to be ready to meet any eventuality."

"Ace" — "Do you really believe that all those Hollywood roles provided you with the kind of training you would need to face America's global problems? Can a foreign policy be developed on the back lot at Warner Brothers' Studios?"

"Dutch" — "You don't seem to understand, son. What I'm trying to say is that all of life's problems are pretty much the same. It's like after that surgeon cut off both my legs, I had that great line — " 'Where's the rest of me?' That was also the title of my autobiography, and you know what? Sales have been booming again, just lately."

"Ace" — "Do you think the people REALLY understand you? Enough that is to send an actor to the White House, for the very first time?"

"Dutch" — "Son, you'd be amazed the number of voters who still remember me from my eight years with GE Theater. People would like a president they can identify with, a face they can trust. At a time of crisis, when things look hopeless, people want a leader with a proven track record."

"Ace" — "And that's the image projected by Ronald "Dutch" Reagan?"

"Dutch" — "You show me a candidate who has spent eight years solving 'Death Valley Days,' and I'll show you a winner."

"Ace" — "Thank you, Mr. President."

— by john edmands



Sound and Fury

Walt Hecox

Shortly before one a.m. Thursday Charlton Heston, equipped with knife, Tomahawk and the buckskin trousers of Buffalo Bill Cody, was engaged in a life or death struggle with an Indian who wore bangs and a couple of feathers in his hair.

The Indian's name was Yellow Horse and he did not last a short five minutes with Heston. About the time Buffalo Bill was splitting Yellow Horse's head with a tomahawk a small line of type appeared at the bottom of the screen.

"It's snowing in Sacramento," it said.

With all that blood and guts it looked a little strange.

Come to think of it, snow looks a little strange in Sacramento.

Strange in Pleasanton also, to say nothing of Livermore and San Ramon.

Thursday morning there was a fine powder on the rooftops in San Ramon.

"It's more like frost," Skeeter suggested.

"No, it's snow," I told her.

Outside when I moved the Honda powder was sprinkled on the top like sugar on a jelly doughnut.

Skeeter leaves the house at the crack of dawn so she gets the garage. The other half of the garage is jammed with excess furniture and a spare refrigerator.

My car sits in the driveway and warms in the morning sun until the ice falls off.

Thursday there was more than ice in the valley. Traces of whatever had happened that night while we slept were all but gone in the morning.

The first fine flakes of the morning drifted down about 11 a.m. while I concluded my chat with Glen Dahlbacka, a youthful laddie who wants to direct the destinies of Livermore.

The snow picked up speed on the way to Pleasanton. A powdered sugar shower landed lightly and melted on the pavement of Stanley Boulevard.

An hour later it was really showing. Powder had turned to big, lacy flakes which clung to the trees and the sides of houses and piled on the windshields of automobiles.

That wandering winter which has eluded us for so long had finally arrived and with gusto as they say in the television commercial for Schlitz beer.

I wandered down Spring street toward Main watching Jack Frost paint the trees and housetops icy white.

The old Pleasanton City Hall at Main and Division became a Christmas Card from yesterday while white powder settled in the shaggy hair of hedges and pine trees.

The lacy branches of black walnut trees which reached bleakly into winter skies moments before wore a snowy mantle and gained weight in the early afternoon.

Creaking windshield wipers, little used since the spring of '75, fought a losing battle with collecting flakes.

Automobiles fought a losing battle with damp streets and crawled at a snail's pace along Main and Bernal.

The girl at the Italian Submarine stood by the plate glass door and said, "Isn't it beautiful. I just can't believe it. I just can't believe it's happening.

Back at the office a lot of things were not happening.

"Where's Peter?" I inquired.

"He's due here at two o'clock," I was told. "He should be here any minute."

"The sun could come out any minute," I replied. "Or it could start to rain. Then all these beautiful pictures would be washed away."

"We're doing our best," was the answer. "Shall wd call Doug?"

"By all means," I said. Doug is our other photographer. Doug Ault and Peter Griffith are nice boys. But they go to school and are not always easy to find.

I found Ron Rodriguez and suggested that he go to Livermore and get a picture of a seven foot snow man.

Watched the sun peek through the clouds and groaned.

Peter Griffith came in. I asked where he had been.

"Taking pictures of snow." he answered. Bill Cauble came in and gave the same answer. Karel Kramer called to say she had a great snow shot. So did Al Fischer. To date I haven't seen Rodriguez. The poor lad may be lost in the blizzard.

Fenwick Addison Truebridge entered.

"It's snowing outside," he announced, a twinkle in his eye. "Shouldn't we send someone out for a picture?"

Which is the way things go when it snows in the Livermore - Amador - San Ramon valley.

And rightly so.

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Television Listings

Fri., Feb. 6

8:00 A.M.
5-10—Capt. Kangaroo
7-13—Good Morning America
9—Yoga with Lilias
40—Speed Racer

8:30 A.M.
2—Romper Room
9—Mister Rogers
40—Dennis the Menace

9:00 A.M.
2—Big Valley
3-4—Celebrity Sweepstakes
5—Playmates — Schoolmates
7—A.M. San Francisco
9—Sesame Street
10—At Nine on Ten
13—Truth or Consequences
40—Jack LaLanne

9:30 A.M.
3-4—High Rollers
5—Kathryn Crosby Show
10—Price Is Right
13—Morning Scene
40—I Love Lucy

10:00 A.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Daddy Long Legs"
Tues: "Cry the Beloved Country"
Wed: "Valentino"
Thurs: "The Luck of Ginger Coffey"
Fri: "It Happened to Jane"
3-4—Wheel of Fortune
5—Gambit
9—Electric Company
40—Movies:
Mon: "Don't Raise the Bridge, Lower the River"
Tues: "Miracle of Morgan's Creek"
Wed: "The Remarkable Mr. Pennypacker"
Thurs: "Madison Avenue"
Fri: "Five Miles to Midnight"

10:30 A.M.
3-4—Hollywood Squares
5-10—Love of Life
7-13—Happy Days

11:00 A.M.
3—Magnificent Marble Machine
4—Somerset
5-10—Young and the Restless
7-13—Rhyme and Reason
36—Left, Right and Center
44—Not For Women Only

11:30 A.M.
3-4—Take My Advice
5-10—Search for Tomorrow
7-13—Neighbors
36—Yoga

NOON
2—Courtship of Eddie's Father
3-4-5-10—News
7-13—Edge of Night
9—Woman
36—Movies:
Mon: "An Alibi for Death"
Tues: "Rome 1585"
Wed: "Temple of the White Elephants"
Thurs: "Samson and the Slave Queen"
Fri: "Adventures in Indochina"
40—Dick Van Dyke
44—Leave It To Beaver

12:30 P.M.
2—That Girl
3-4—Days of Our Lives
5-10—As the World Turns
7-13—All My Children
9—Yoga
40—Andy Griffith
44—Movies:
Mon: "Something for the Birds"
Tues: "Murder in the Music Hall"
Wed: "Princess of the Nile"
Thurs: "City That Never Sleeps"
Fri: "Mr. Belvedere Rings the Bell"

1:00 P.M.
2—Movies:
Mon: "Castle Keep"
Tues: "The Glass Menagerie"
Wed: "She"
Thurs: "The Cardinal" Pt I
Fri: "The Cardinal" Pt II
7-13—Ryan's Hope
40—Movies:
Mon: "Fear Strikes Out"
Tues: "The Savage Innocents"
Wed: "Sunrise at Campobello" Pt I
Thurs: "Sunrise at Campobello" Pt II
"The Battle of Villa Fiorita" Pt I
Fri: "The Battle of Villa Fiorita" Pt II

1:30 P.M.
3-4—The Doctors
5-10—Guiding Light
7-13—Let's Make A Deal

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Another World
5-10—All in the Family
7-13—$20,000 Pyramid
9—Masterpiece Theatre
36—Mike Douglas
44—Underdog

2:30 P.M.
5-10—Match Game
7—One Life to Live
13—To Tell the Truth
44—Huck and Yogi

3:00 P.M.
2—Porky & Friends
3—Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman
4—Ironside
5—Tattletales
7-13—General Hospital
10—Dinah!
40—Three Stooges
44—Popeye

3:30 P.M.
2-3—Mickey Mouse Club
5—Robert Young, Family Doctor
7—Movies:
Mon: "The Abominable Snowman of the Himalayas"
Tues: "The Nanny"
Wed: "A Study in Terror"
Thurs: "The Deadly Hunt"
Fri: "Journey to the Unknown"
13—One Life to Live
36—Movies:
Mon: "The Spy Strikes Silently"
Tues: "The Way Out"
Wed: "Who Killed Johnny R?"
Thurs: "Zig Zag"
Fri: "Somewhere in the Night"
40—Captain's Cartoons
44—Superman

4:00 P.M.
2—Batman
3—Rin Tin Tin
4—Merv Griffin
9—Mister Rogers
10—Mike Douglas
13—Gomer Pyle, USMC
40—Munsters
44—Little Rascals

4:30 P.M.
2—Lassie
3—Bewitched
5—Mike Douglas
9—Sesame Street
13—Beverly Hillbillies
40—Partridge Family
44—Three Stooges

5:00 P.M.
2—Partridge Family
3-7—News
13—Adam-12
40—Brady Bunch
44—Little Rascals

5:30 P.M.
2—Bewitched
4-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Get Smart
40—Hogan's Heroes
44—Monkees

6:00 P.M.
2—Love, American Style
3-4-5-7-10-13—News
9—Electric Company
36—Movie: "The House Across the Bay" Joan Bennett
40—Star Trek
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
2—Basketball: Warriors vs. Suns
9—Zoom
13—Merv Griffin
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
4—Truth or Consequences
5-7—News
9—Sports — The Way It Was
10—Concentration
40—FBI
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
3—Seven Thirty
4—Don Adams' Screen Test
5—Name That Tune
7—Dogs
9—News
10—$25,000 Pyramid

8:00 P.M.
3-4—Sanford and Son
5—People's 5
7-13—Donny and Marie
9—Washington Week in Review
36—Movie: "Wife, Doctor and Nurse" Loretta Young
40—Movie: "Fantastic Voyage" Stephen Boyd
44—Dinah!

8:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "The Wild One" Marlon Brando
3-4—Practice
5—All Together Now
9—Wall Street Week

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Rockford Files
5-10—Movie: "The Getaway" Steve McQueen
7-13—XII Winter Olympic Games
9—Masterpiece Theatre

9:30 P.M.
44—Best of Groucho

10:00 P.M.
2-40—News
3-4—Police Story
9—Nova
36—Merv Griffin
44—It Takes A Thief

11:00 P.M.
2—Bilko
3-4-5-7-9-10-13—News
40—Mod Squad
44—Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman

11:30 P.M.
2—Honeymooners
3-4—Johnny Carson
5-10—News
7-13—XII Winte Olympic Games
9—News
36—Movie: "Claudia and David" Dorothy McFuire
44—Movie: "Pork Chop Hill" Gregory Peck

MIDNIGHT
2—News
5—Movie: "The Double Man" Yul Brenner
7—Rookies
10—Movie: "The Anderson Tapes" Sean Connery
13—Ironside
40—Movie: "Five"

Sat., Feb. 7

9:00 A.M.
2—Asians Now!
3-4—Land of the Lost
7-13—Adventures of Gilligan
40—Image '76
44—Music & the Spoken Word

9:30 A.M.
2—Revista de la Semana
3-4—Run, Joe, Run
5-10—Scooby Doo
7-13—Groovie Goolies
36—American Religious Town Hall
40—The Champions
44—Friends of Man

10:00 A.M.
2—Our Men in the Capitol
3-4—Beyond the Planet of the Apes
5-10—Shazam!
7-13—Speed Buggy
36—Yoga for Health
44—Ebony Affair

10:30 A.M.
2—Outdoors with Liberty Mutual
3-4—Westwind
7-13—Odd Ball Couple
36—Left, Right and Center
40—Sherlock Holmes Theatre
44—Movie: "Cobra Woman"

11:00 A.M.
2—McHale's Navy
3—Jetsons
4—The Champions
5-10—Far Out Space Nuts
7—Uncle Croc's Block
13—Pacific Weekly
36—Movie: "Man Hunt" Walter Pidgeon

11:30 A.M.
2—The Good Ole Nashville Music
3-4—Go USA!
5-10—Ghost Busters
7—To Be Announced
13—Ski Scene

NOON
2—Soul Train
3-4—College Basketball: Mich. vs. Indiana
5-10—Valley of the Dinosaurs
13—The Outdoorsman
40—Movie: "Flying Tigers" John Wayne
44—Movie: "Abbott & Costello Meet Frankenstein"

12:30 P.M.
5-10—Fat Albert
7—Water World
7-13—XII Winter Olympic Games

1:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Attack of the Mushroom People"
5—I Believe
10—Children's Film
36—Movie: "Fury at Furnace Creek" Victor Mature

1:30 P.M.
5—Solesvida
44—Movie: "Hold That Baby" Bowery Boys

2:00 P.M.
3-4—Bob Hope Desert Classic — Golf
5—Vibrations for a New People
10—Who, What, How Do You Know Show
40—Outdoors '76

2:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "Panic in the Year Zero" Frankie Avalon
5—Movie: "The Hypnotic Eye" Jacques Bergerac
10—Big Blue Marble
40—Movie: "The Terrornauts"

3:00 P.M.
10—Name of the Game
36—Movie: "Man Hunt" Walter Pidgeon"
44—Wrestling

3:30 P.M.
3—Bill Dance Outdoors
4—College Basketball: Calif. vs. Oregon
7-13—Pro Bowlers Tour

4:00 P.M.
2—Mission: Impossible
3—Nashville on the Road
5—Sports Spectacular
40—Wrestling
44—Wild, Wild West

4:30 P.M.
3—Good Ole Nashville Music
10—Sports Spectacular

5:00 P.M.
2—Hee Haw
3—Pop Goes Country
7-13—Wide World of Sports
36—Buck Owens
40—Wild, Wild West
44—Gomer Pyle

5:30 P.M.
3-4—News
36—Porter Wagoner
44—Beverly Hillbillies

6:00 P.M.
2—Love, American Style
3-4-5-10—News
36—Nashville on the Road
40—Star Trek
44—Brady Bunch

6:30 P.M.
3-5-10—News
4—30 Minutes
7—XII Winter Olympic Games
13—Bobby Vinton
36—Movie: "Three Musketeers" Don Ameche
44—Adam-12

7:00 P.M.
2—Movie: "Born Free"
3—Hee Haw
4—Space: 1999
5—Lawrence Welk
7—Bay Scene 7
10—Lets Make A Deal
13—Space 1999
40—World at War: Pacific
44—Hogan's Heroes

7:30 P.M.
7—Hollywood Squares
10—Match Game PM
13—Bobby Vinton Show

8:00 P.M.
3-4—Emergency!
5-10—The Jeffersons
7—Almost Anything Goes
13—Lawrence Welk
36—Wrestling
40—David Niven's World
44—Movie: "Six Bridges to Cross" Tony Curtis

8:30 P.M.
5-10—Doc
40—Friends of Man

9:00 P.M.
3-4—Movie: "Rio Lobo" John Wayne
5-10—Mary Tyler Moore
7-13—XII Winter Olympic Games
36—Boxing

9:30 P.M.
2—Movie: "Dementia 13"
5-10—Bob Newhart

10:00 P.M.
5-10—Carol Burnett
36—I Spy
40—Movie: "The Gorgon" Peter Cushing
44—Movie: "Up Front" David Wayne

11:00 P.M.
4-5-7-10—News
13—Sammy & Company
36—Movie: "Rise and Shine" Milton Berle

11:15 P.M.
3-4—News

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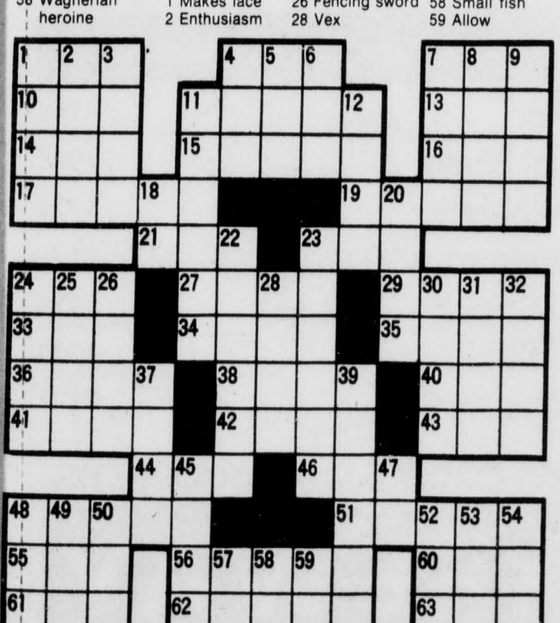
Liquids

ACROSS
1 Served at afternoon parties
4 Aromatic liquor
7 Watery food
10 School subject (ab.)
11 Fountain specialties
13 Native mineral
14 Greek letter
15 Small sip
16 Maiden name
17 Expression of disgust
19 Add
21 German article
23 Neuter German article
24 Pub drink
27 Area (Fr.)
29 Faucets
33 Small drink
34 1,007 (Roman)
35 Liquid first course
36 Chinese coin
38 Wagnerian heroine
40 WW II agency (ab.)
41 Space
42 Nerve network
43 Evening (poet.)
44 Midwestern state (ab.)
46 Theater sign
48 Common liquid
51 Bayou
55 Island (Fr.)
56 Ancient Roman official
60 Blackbird
61 Teacher's group (ab.)
62 Lateral parts
63 Among
64 Ever (poet.)
65 Mesh
66 Dutch city

DOWN
1 Makes lace
2 Enthusiasm
3 Recurring chills
4 Gazelle
5 Egos
6 Native (ab.)
7 Bridge (Fr.)
8 Space
9 Rind
11 Body of flowing water
12 Bristle
18 Boy's nickname
20 Hops' kilns
22 Streams
23 Believers in God
24 Fictional dog
25 Prevaricator
26 Fencing sword
28 Vex
30 First rate (2 wds.)
31 —— water for drinking
32 Bridge
37 Inland body of water
39 Eagles' nests
45 Greek war god
47 Preposition
48 Drink made from grapes
49 Nautical term
50 Rend
52 Crippled
53 Geraint's wife
54 Ocean movement
57 Noise
58 Small fish
59 Allow

Answer to Previous Puzzle

C	O	D		R	O	M	E		T	A	M	S
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WIN AT BRIDGE

Dummy play is smart one

NORTH (D) 6
♠ Q 10 4
♥ 7 6
♦ A J
♣ K Q 9 8 5 3

WEST
♠ 9 5
♥ Q 9 8 4 2
♦ 10 7 5 4
♣ A 6

EAST
♠ A J 8 6 2
♥ J 10 5 3
♦ Q 9
♣ 7 4

SOUTH
♠ K 7 3
♥ A K
♦ K 8 6 3 2
♣ J 10 2

North-South vulnerable

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Pass	1♦
Pass	2♣	Pass	3 N.T.
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — 9♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Betsey Wolff uses our acronym **ARCH** in her teaching of play. **A** is Analyze the lead, **R** is Review the bidding. **C** Count your winners and losers. **H** the all important: How can I make (or if defending, defeat) this contract?

The Analysis of the nine of spades lead is top of nothing and probably a doubleton. Review of the bidding indicates that West will hold the club ace since with five spades to the ace-jack and a side ace East would have overcalled one spade.

How can I make the contract leads to the play of the queen of spades from dummy. This unusual second hand high play guarantees declarer's success as long as Analysis of the opening lead has been correct. As you can see if East plays the ace of spades and leads a second spade it will run around to dummy's 10. If East ducks West will get in with the ace of clubs but declarer's king of spades will be a second stopper.

Ask the Jacobys

A California reader wants to know if she can open three diamonds with:

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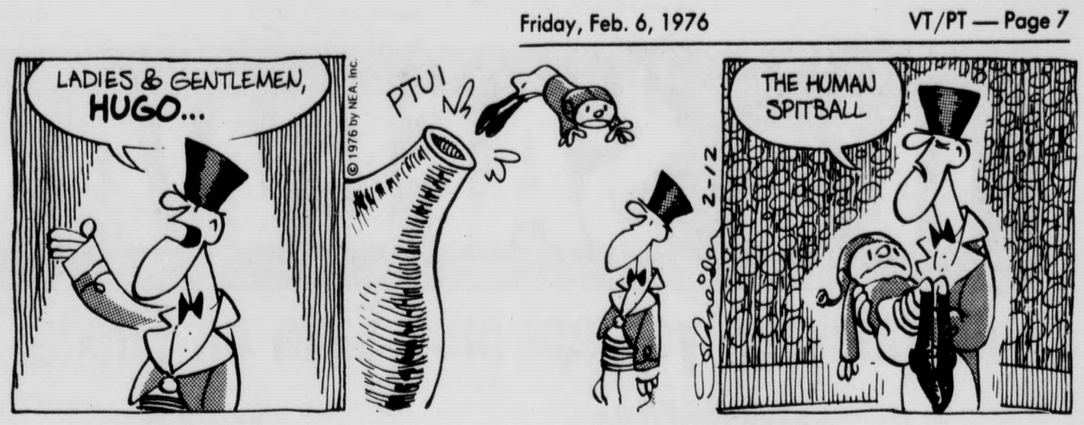
She is not vulnerable.

The second part of her question is. Does she need a seven-card suit?

Our answer is that a three-diamond opening usually should be based on a seven-card suit, but if she wants to open this hand with three diamonds she should go ahead and do so.

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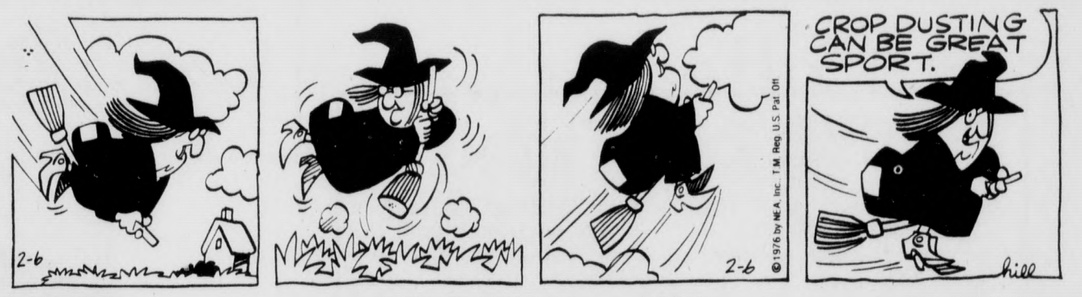
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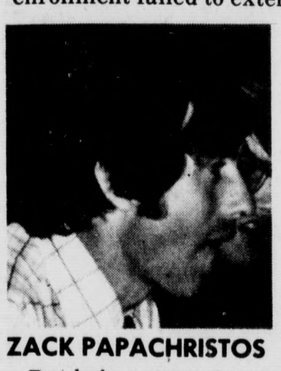
Mike Zampa

At Canyon High School we called him the Big Z. It wasn't a sophomoric attempt at sarcasm, even though Zack Papachristos is no bigger than the soft spot in Woody Hayes' heart.

Instead, it was an expression of endearment, and maybe admiration. Despite our wide-eyed innocence, we knew Zack was the big fish in a little pond.

After just four years of building, Papachristos' wrestling team won the only North Coast Section sports championship ever at Canyon.

He coached with flair, displayed torrid ambition. Obviously a suburban high school with 1,000 enrollment failed to extend a challenge.



ZACK PAPACHRISTOS

So Zack left the cozy hilltop and arrived at the windswept flatlands of Chabot College. Now he has won a half-dozen or so championships for the Gladiators, and you wonder where the next stop is.

Not that Papachristos speaks of departing. He enjoys continuing success and looks happy in his environment.

But he's a promoter and an achiever and you'd expect some major university to take notice. Already he's built a powerhouse high school program from thin air, and turned a junior college team into a benchmark of excellence. There's little doubt he can do it on even higher levels.

Papachristos employs the techniques of a high powered ad executive. He's big on motivational devices like inspiring posters and dramatic pep talks. He knows when to flash that toothy Greek smile and when to unleash well rehearsed rage.

Without doubt he could sell a million canned hams in Tel Aviv.

Right now he's promoting a brand new concept in California community college wrestling, the dual-meet state championship tournament. Not coincidentally, his team is right in the thick of the fight.

This season for the first time, top rated wrestling teams have been selected for a single elimination dual meet tournament. The two survivors will compete for the California championship next week.

Saturday night, Chabot, second ranked in the state, will face number one Cypress in the semi-finals.

Of course Zack approves of the dual meet tournament. It provides another title to shoot for, along with the two state crowns and four Golden Gate Conference championships he's already won. But he's also a hype for wrestling, and Papachristos figures the head-and-head team format will stir new found interest in the sport. It's already gripped the Gladiators, and their coach too.

He hopes it will catch on with fans because Chabot needs a big gate. It has to come up with a good hunk of change to cover Cypress' plane flight from Los Angeles. It also wants to prove that an extra championship tournament will be good for wrestling.

The matchup Saturday night should be entertaining. Cypress, 11-0 in duals, defeated Chabot, 11-1, early in the season. The final score was 26-16. Chabot seemed sure of a victory, however, as late as the final match of the night. Gladiator heavyweight David Shaw, an all-star football player, was beating Cypress' Jeff Dutton, 13-1. But suddenly Dutton trapped Shaw in a headlock and pinned him, to spurt Cypress to a dramatic win.

It will be different this time, Papachristos promises, because four of his top wrestlers weren't able to compete in the earlier meeting.

"Don't make me sound cocky," says Papachristos, aware of the power ill-timed quotes can wield, "but we've got outstanding talent."

Chabot will feature Mark Needham, 18-6-1 for the year, in a 126-pound crucial with Cypress' Victor Yslas. Wes Burris, 17-8, and Curt Bledsoe, 20-2, are two of the Gladiators' strongest competitors.

And of course there's the coach. Papachristos will plead with his wrestlers at any level. He might recall his humble birth in Greece, and how he'd like to retire there if only they could win one more for the Gipper. Perhaps he'll tell jokes, or read chapter and verse from Dale Carnegie.

You can bet he's preparing his sales pitch right now.

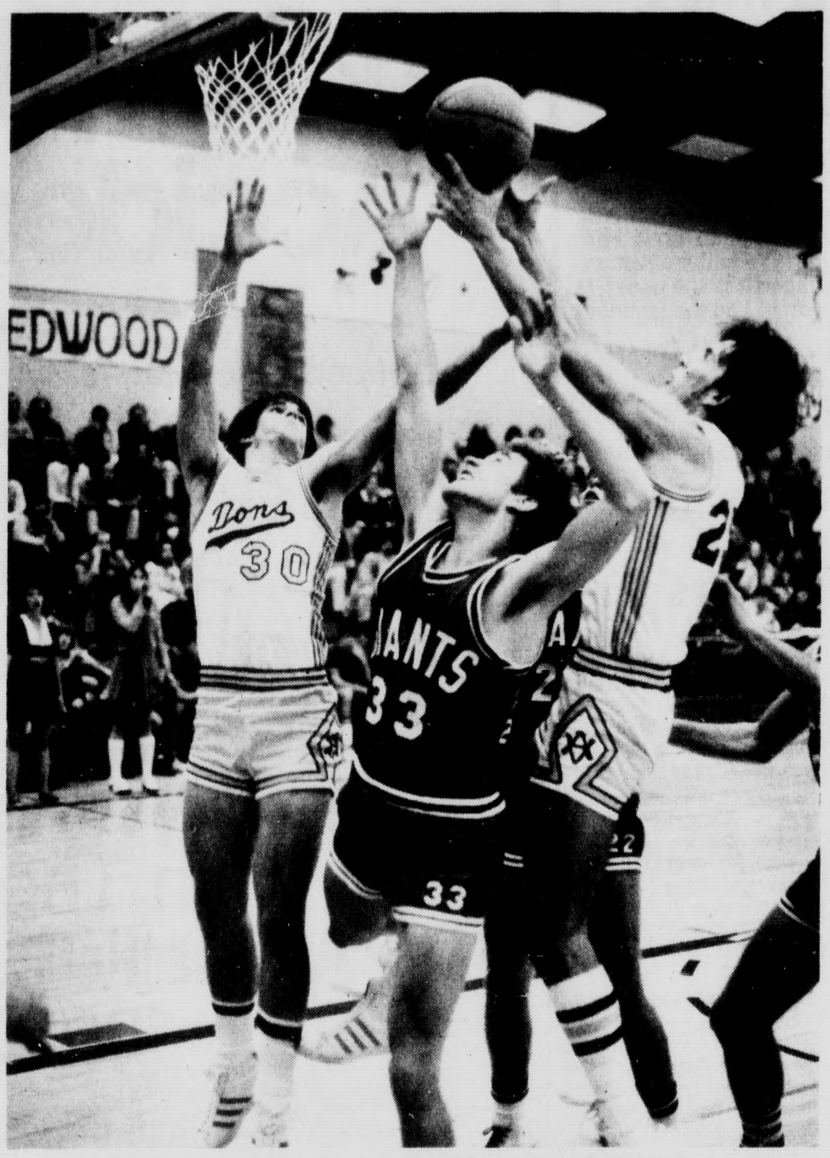
Though he's still in his 30's, Papachristos has the nervous demeanor of a T.V. vice president at ratings time. When important matches draw near the disarming smile weakens, the skin crinkles around the dark eyes, the thinning black hair is disheveled.

"I couldn't sleep last night," he said yesterday, still three days from the showdown with Cypress "When a coach loses that spark, it's time to get out." From his tone, it's apparent this isn't the time for Papachristos.

"Me ready to get out?" he squealed the other day. "At my age? Twenty-two?"

Well, at least not until "Monday Night Wrestling" becomes a staple on prime time T.V. If Zack promotes it, don't bet against it.

Surging Dons host Cal



AMADOR CAGERS BATTLE FOR REBOUND AGAINST REDWOOD
Dave Van Norden (30) and Mike Hill aid Dons

It was an afternoon before winter. The EBAL basketball season was still far off, and a young Amador High team was struggling to attain first-name familiarity with itself.

Skip Mohatt, the coach, sat in his office with a note pad and all those X's and O's, wondering how a bunch of faceless youngsters from the junior varsity would fit into the mould of back-to-back championship teams.

Then Rob Yackley, the 6-3 center and two-year letterman popped through the doorway.

Yackley said; "I don't know if you think we'll win the championship again coach, but I'm sure of it."

That was Mohatt's first inkling that a graduation-ravaged team might yet uphold the tradition of recent seasons. The latest note of reassurance came Wednesday night when Amador held off Livermore, 60-50, to take a two-game lead with six left in the season.

The Dons are expected to preserve their advantage this evening when they face California High at home in an 8 p.m. contest. In other EBAL action, Monte Vista is at Livermore, Dublin plays at San Ramon, and Granada travels to Foothill.

"When Yackley told me that I decided we'd have a good chance this year," Mohatt said Wednesday night. Before then I wasn't sure, because this wasn't one of our most dedicated teams in terms of off season play. And at the start of the year the juniors on our team didn't know what the hell they were doing. But our four seniors have taken over, especially Yackley and Mike Hill, and they've done an outstanding job. Now the juniors are contributing and coming along too.

"In terms of strengths and weaknesses this team rivals my last two," said Mohatt, who is endeavoring to achieve an unbeaten league record to match that of his 1973-74 edition. "But this one may be the best balanced."

Also the most surprising.

No one expected the Dons to be dictating policy to the rest of the league at this stage of the season. With the majority of remaining games centered on second-division opponents, they have suddenly become overwhelming title favorites.

How?

With the same inpregnable defense that highlighted other championship seasons. And then there's the balance Mohatt spoke of.

Amador is a more capable offensive club this year than it was last, or the year before that. Hill and Steve Mohatt have been devestating outside shooters. Yackley has been paramount inside and has also been effective scoring from the high post.

With so much shooting touch Mohatt has opened the gates for his offense. No longer do the Dons wait eons for an opening. If nothing emerges, they just shoot over the defense. Before the season started, however, no one could foresee the promise the Dons had left over from two glory years. A year written off to reconstruction has suddenly become one of startling success.

The transformation is gratifying to Mohatt.

"It's no more fun coaching a team like this than the other ones," he said, referring to previous title winners who always had the championship within view. "But it is rewarding to get the kids to play like they're supposed to, and maybe even a little above that.

"But we haven't won anything yet. First there's California, and then..."

Cowboys fall

AV matmen win

Amador High School built up an early lead and never looked back as they defeated rival Livermore 29-26 in a EBAL wrestling match on the winners' mats last night.

Adding more credit to the Don victory was the fact that two varsity wrestlers were out of the contest due to injuries. This forced a juggling act by Amador coach Ron Blanton with much of his squad moving up in weights. It didn't seem to matter though, as the Don wrestlers just outfinessed the weaker Cowboy matmen in running their record to 4-1 in EBAL action.

The Dons came out early, building up an 11-0 lead with Steve Potts, Wayne Campiotti and Rich Kean all taking decisions over their opponents.

The Cowboys did make one serious bid for the lead, closing to within 21-20. But two superior decisions by Benny LaFever and Eric Larson put the match away for the Dons.

A real standout for coach Blanton's team is the tandem, of the Potts brothers Steve (98) and Dave (130). The two have a combined won-lost total of 48-8 this season and Steve has recorded 16 pins.

Amador's recent protest of their match against Granada was thrown out yesterday morning. This assures Granada of the league championship.

Amador 29, Livermore 26

98- S. Potts, AV, d. Maier, L, 18-0; **105**- Kean, AV, d. Nagel, L, 2-0; **115**- Campiotti, AV, d. Arnew, L, 2-1; **123**- Payne, L, d. Sweeney, AV, 4-2; **130**- D. Potts, AV, d. Piazza, L, 7-4; **135**- Jenkins, L, won by forfeit; **140**- Salmon, AV, d. Newton, L, 11-3; **147**- Lewis, L, d. Halli AV, 17-3; **156**- Collie, AV, d. Taylor, L, 9-5; **167**- Hanson, L, p. Hoff, AV, 1:01 of 2nd; **177**- LaFever, AV, d. Farfan, L, 14-4; **194**- Larson, AV, d. Burk, L, 10-2; **Hvt**- Tennyson, L, p. Mirto, AV, :56 of 3rd.

All-Star soccer match postponed

Yesterday's freak snow storm has forced postponement of the California State Soccer Association all-star game scheduled this evening at Dublin High School.

The game between the Alcosta Soccer League stars and the Central California Stars has been tentatively rescheduled for Sunday at 2 on the Dublin field.

The match is part of an eight-team tournament featuring all-star sides from Northern California senior teams. Finalists in the event play Washington's Birthday at Balboa Stadium in San Francisco.

The Alcosta stars are made of locally bred soccer players from Dublin, Pleasanton, Livermore, and parts of Contra Costa County.

Among those playing will be Dave Anderson and Kelly Clark from Chabot College's state champion soccer team. Myron Hord and Matt Bryant, who helped the Gladiators to a share of the state title season before last, will also play for Alcosta.

Amador High's all-time scoring great Scott Stisser will be on the roster, along with former Don teammate Don Halog.

Dublin's Greg Heier will also see action.

Goal keeper is Ralph Woods, mainstay of Tri-Valley Soccer Club for the past three seasons.

Heading up the Central California stars will be Jara Guillermo out of Sacramento State, and Domingo Fajardo of Sacramento City College.

Former Olympian Anatole Hulewsky, and Rafael Avila, a U.S. World Cup nominee, anchor the Central defense.

Sports night

California High School will hold a Sports Celebrity Night banquet Feb. 28, 6 p.m., in the Grizzlie gym. A lasagna dinner will be served.

Sports figures already committed to the banquet are Tommie Hart of the San Francisco 49'ers, Oakland Raider tight end Ted Kwalick, football Hall of Famer Leo Nomilleni, Laurie Calloway of the Oakland Buccaneers and former Detroit Tiger player Bernie DeViveros.

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In the Bag

Fish await outdoorsmen

Charlie Litz

HUNTING SEASON is closing out — time to get ready for a big fishing hole. There's been some speculation as to whether it will be good or bad. The lack of rain and snow should leave the streams nice and clear. It remains to be seen how this will affect those big fish stories. In any case, be prepared, and don't let that big one get away!

YOU'RE ALSO reminded that ocean salmon sport fishing opens Feb. 14!

JIMMIE AND JOHN Langford and their fishing buddies, Louis Scott and Ralph Evans, got four limits of trout out at Del Valle Reservoir last weekend. Longest was 12¼ inches. The boys used small pink and white marshmallows with salmon eggs (fireballs). With such good luck, they're going back next weekend.

A TWO-DAY PITA shoot will be held at the Livermore - Pleasanton Rod and Gun Club Feb. 15 and 16. PITA rules will govern the shoot.

Event No. 1 will be 100 16-yard targets, five classes. There will be some excellent trophies for each class.

Event No. 2 will be 100 Handicap targets, with all kinds of yardages and trophies for the high gun for each yardage group (18-19-20-21), 22-23-24), and (25-26-27).

Event No. 3 will be 25 pair doubles. There are four classes in this event: A-B-C-D, and good trophies to the winner of each class. Each class will be the same for the Monday (Feb. 16) shoot.

Emanuel Mingoia expects fair weather for the two-day shoot. There will be a big barbecue on the 15th for the shooters and their families, for a nominal fee.

Come out, bring your buddies, plenty of ammo, your favorite shooting iron and plan to be there both days. Shells will be available at the club grounds. Hope to see you all out there.

BILL KUSICK told me about this black powder pistol shooter who loaded up all six chambers of his old Army "Ruger" 45 cap and ball revolver, touched the old trigger, and things sure started to happen.

First, there was a terrific recoil; then a tremendous roar and a cloud of blue-black smoke so thick he couldn't even see the shooting iron. Pieces of scrap lead went flying in several directions, but mostly forward (which was good).

After his frayed nerves settled a bit, the shooter pondered that he had forgotten to put some lube over each chamber after seating the bullet. This lube, a fairly stiff grease, like lard or vaseline, prevents a flashback such as what had just happened.

After very carefully looking over his "old army," he decided the 45 was ready to be put back in service, as no damage was done to the gun (attesting to the tremendous strength built into that big Ruger). So, there's one happy shooter out there somewhere, right, Bill?

"SAVE OUR WETLANDS" has been selected as the theme for the 39th annual observance of National Wildlife Week, March 14-20.

Thomas L. Kimball, executive vice president of the sponsoring National Wildlife Federation, said that more than 10 million students, teachers and members of state and local conservation groups will take part marking the week.

"Wetlands are a priceless and irreplaceable part of our national heritage," said Kimball. "They are important not only to wildlife but to man. They support a vast range of plants and wildlife, they aid in the natural purification of our water supplies, they provide unique scenic and recreational areas and a good part of our food supply."

Kimball noted, however, that some developers regard wetlands as wastelands, to be drained or filled and "improved" with buildings.

More than one-half of the original 127 million acres of wetlands in the 48 contiguous states has been lost forever, Kimball said.

"The steady loss of wetlands habitat has been a major factor in lengthening our lists of threatened and endangered species. We must preserve what is left and manage these precious areas in a responsible way."

He said about 22 million acres of wetlands are now being preserved, but "much more needs to be done."

Bing Crosby is honorary chairman this year.

Teams compete for Cup titles

Finals in the four-week Commissioner's Cup Soccer Tournament will be settled Saturday at Sportsman's Park in Pleasanton beginning at 11 a.m.

Teams in three different age groups will battle for the championship of District III in the California Youth Soccer Association.

At 11, the Ballistic Centaurs will face Ballistic United for the under-10 crown. The Dublin Paddys play Ballistic United for the under-12 championship at 1 p.m. Following at 3 is the under-14 battle between Ballistic United and the Fremont Celtics.

Medals will be presented to each member of the championship teams, and a perpetual trophy donated by the Rotary Club will be awarded.

The tournament began one month ago with 40 teams competing.

Mets top Bullets

The Mets won their first Pleasanton Recreation Department kids basketball game last weekend in grand fashion, swamping the Bullets, 38-17.

Mark Schoendienst had 10 points to pace the winners, and Jeff Bilke had four. Bullet Jeff Freeman scored six points.

Lakers 40, Knicks 37 (OT)

Knicks lost their third overtime game despite a fine rally. Glen Gunter (12 points) and Mark Gabrielson, 10, paced the Lakers. Steve Mona had seven for the Knicks, and Scott Senden, six.

Sonics 34, Warriors 15

Sonics remained unbeaten thanks to Danny Bromberg's eight points. Mike Costello had five for the losers.

Celtics 30, Trojans 27

The Celtics are still undefeated after Barry Mori poured in 17 points. Matt Kutchera had nine for the losers, Scott Pyatt, five.

Bruins 50, Bears 13

Unbeaten Bruins set up next week's showdown with Celts by thumping Bears. Brian Wright scored 11. Shawn Stewart and Scott Soshnik played well. Mark Hitesman had eight for the losers.

P-Town Pros 47, Trotters 35

Mike Michell had 14 and Al Weiser, 14 to pace the unbeaten Pros. Stan Larson scored 14 for the Trotters.

76'ers 19, Trailblazers 17

A missed shot at the buzzer cost the Blazers a chance for overtime. Tony Marcopolous paced the winners with eight points. Dan Wake was strong on the boards. Jeff Wilson of the Blazers had eight.

Bullets 48, Celtics 12

Dave Blanchard and Matt McCleary combined for 21 points to spark the undefeated Bullets. Mike Peterson had six for the Celts.

Rockets 17, Warriors 14

Jeff Stimpson and Tim John sparked the Rockets in a battle of unbeaten teams. John Schwartzman scored four for the losers.

Knicks 30, Lakers 12

Mike Benemelis had 12 points and Dave Lemm, 10 for the Knicks. Laker Brad Kinney scored six.

Pistons 36, Sonics 7

Guard Chris Betts paced the Pistons with 16 points. Whitney Clark contributed 12. Doug Johnson had six for the losers.



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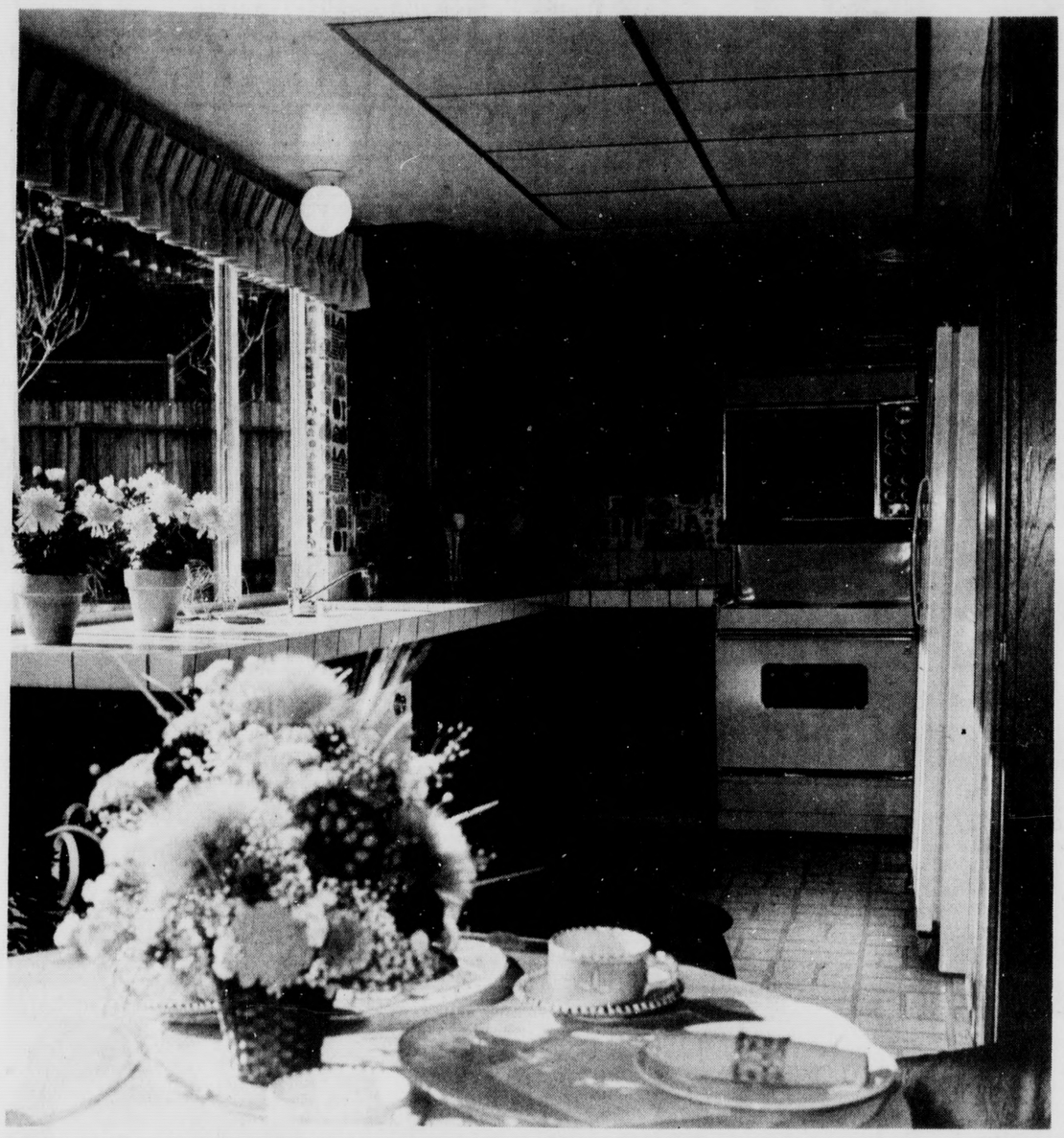
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Falender emphasizes luxury

PLEASANTON — Big homes with luxury features including membership in a cabana club — that's what Falender Homes is offering off Foothill Road, here.

Priced from $58,800, the spacious models feature hillview sites, cedar shake roofs, screened windows and sliding doors, fencing, underground utilities. copper water piping, outdoor electric outlets, wall-to-wall carpeting, perimeter heating, full insulation, formal dining room, tiled entry foyer. decorator-selected fixtures, GE Americana double oven range, dishwasher and disposal, vitreous china basins, cultured marble vanity tops, and hardwood cabinets.

The four floor plans offer 1,759 to 2,429 square feet.

Models open for viewing at 11 a.m. daily. Dorothea Burkett is sales director and may be contacted at 846-4466 The homes are off Foothill on Oak Creek Drive; follow signs to model homes.

Dollar volume increase

Real estate sales up

The latest issue of California Real Estate, a monthly magazine published by the California Association of Realtors, reveals that of 36 reporting Boards of Realtors which field November multiple listing service (MLS) figures, 32 showed an increase in dollar volume over sales of November, 1974 — some appreciably.

These and other figures, published in the January issue, prove that sales were up in November, 1975, compared to November, 1974, in 31 of the boards.

For those unfamiliar with MLS, a realtor lists property for sale and provides essential facts to the MLS which publishes it, often with a photograph, notifying all MLS members that a house is for sale.

The San Jose Real Estate Board recorded the greatest dollar volume in sales during November with $57,475,172, compared to $34,671,505 in November, 1974 — a jump of just under $23,000,000.

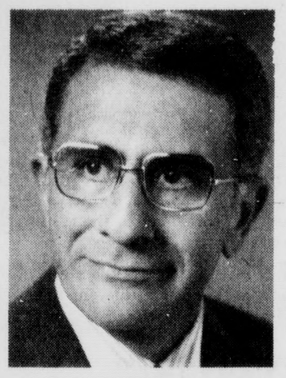
Second in dollar volume in sales was the San Fernando Valley Board of Realtors with $56,944,000, compared to $34,606,715 a year ago.

Both the San Jose and San Fernando Valley boards showed a decline from dollar volume figures of the previous month (October, 1975).

MLS tabulations further show that the San Mateo - Burlingame Board with 102 per cent, led all reporting boards in percentage of sales related to listings.

The Covina Valley board was second with 97 per cent. Other boards with 80 per cent or higher were Hemet - San Jacinto, 94 per cent; Simi Valley, 91 per cent; Sunnyvale, 87 per cent; Crescenta - Canada, 86 per cent; Southern Santa Barbara County, 85 per cent; Menlo Park - Atherton, 82 per cent; Santa Clarita Valley, 80 per cent.

Finally, the MLS tabulation reveals that the reporting boards showed 8,455 sales from their 14,205 listings in November of 1975. This compares to November, 1974, figures of 5,459 sales from 12,953 listings from these same boards.



Mervyn's founder elected

Mervin G. Morris, founder and board chairman of Mervyn's 26-store California department store chain which includes a valley outlet in Dublin, has been elected first vice - chairman of the board of directors of the National Retail Merchants Association, which represents some 80,000 U.S. retailers doing $85 billion annually. The 8,000 - delegate convention this month in New York also elected Thomas M. Macioce, president and chief executive officer, Allied Stores Corporation, chairman of the NRMA board. Mervyn's is headquartered at 25001 Industrial Boulevard in Hayward.



Grand Opening continues at Phase III of Las Positas garden townhomes (above), priced from $30,950.

Garden townhomes open

PLEASANTON — Grand Opening continues at Phase III in Las Positas, family-oriented community of two, three and four bedroom garden townhomes, the Singer Housing Company announced recently.

Located on Santa Rita Road, Las Positas townhomes are priced from $30,950 to $36,450. Designed in single-story and two-floor plans to add architectural variety to the community, the homes range up to nearly 1,485 square feet of living space.

Interior highlights include wall - to - wall carpeting, individual laundry areas in each unit, central heating, individual water heaters and master TV antenna hook-ups.

Spacious garden home kitchens, all with ample cupboard space, are equipped with Hotpoint four-burner range, oven with hood and fan, and food waste disposer. Formica counters, available in a variety of modern colors and patterns, and colorful vinyl floors enhance eye-appeal and make for easier clean-up. Optional items for buyers wishing to customize their homes include dishwashers, upgrade carpeting and air conditioning.

The homeowners association maintains walls, roofs, driveways, sidewalks, lawns and landscaping. It also maintains the master television system, storm drains, sanitary sewers and pays for fire and liability insurance for the common areas.

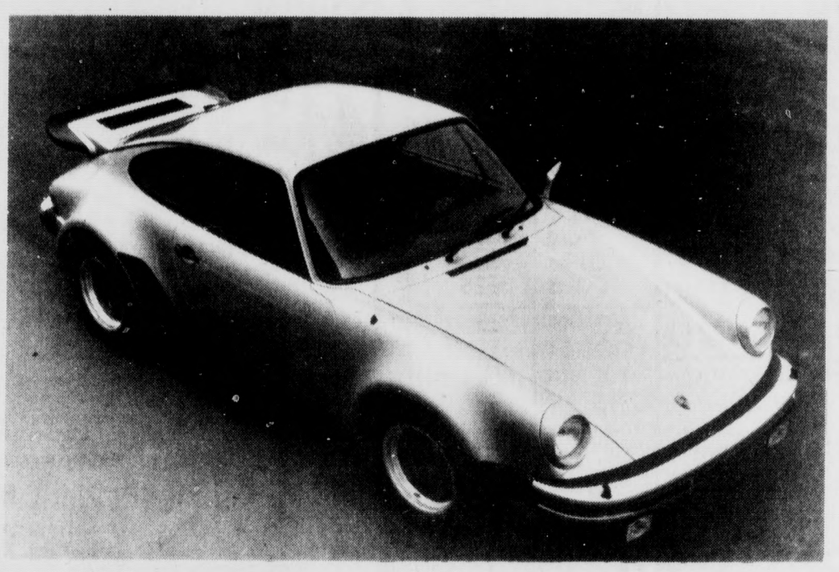
Sandia payroll set at $16 million

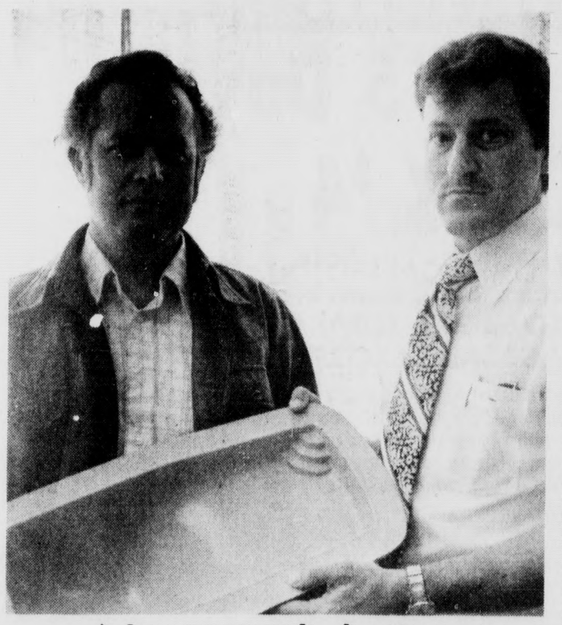
LIVERMORE — The payroll for Sandia Laboratories, Livermore in 1975 was about $16 million, topping the 1974 figure of $14.7 million.

The lab announced its year end business statistics on Thursday.

At the end of calendar year 1975, some 892 persons were employed at Sandia, Livermore. The total on the roll for all Sandia Laboratory was about 6655 employes.

Purchases by Sandia Laboratories, Livermore, for the calendar year 1975 amounted to about $11.8 million. This figure does not include purchases from other Energy Research and Development Administration contractors. More than $9.4 million of the amount was spent in California, including about $7.8 million with Bay Area commercial firms.





New pool design

Examining a scale model of their firm's all-fiberglass swimming pool are Horst Hanf (left), owner, and Bob Young, sales manager of San Juan Pools in Dublin. The new firm will serve all of Alameda County and manufactures the pools in three sizes at their San Jose plant. The pools are installed in ten days and feature a 25-year warranty.

Limited edition special

Porsche Turbo arrives

The most luxurious, most powerful, most advanced and most expensive production Porsche ever made, the Turbo Carrera, is now ready for its Amercican debut.

Designed for luxury and performance, the virtually handmade Turbo is the ultimate GT car. Standard features include a full leather interior, am/fm stereo with four speakers and electric antenna, air conditioning, automatic heater control, electric windows, headlight washers, rear window wiper, electrically adjustable side view mirror and leather covered steering wheel.

The Turbo Carrera, which is the only turbocharged car sold in America, traces its heritage to the early 1970's when Porsche developed the successful 917 Turbo which dominated the 1972-73 Can-Am road racing series. Following Porsche's tradition of using racing as a test bench for production cars, the Turbo Carrera was born.

The heart of the Turbo is a 3-liter (182 cu. in.) fuel-injected engine with an exhaust driven turbocharger. The exhaust gasses drive a turbine which forces air, under pressure, into the cylinders. This added boost gives the engine an output of 234 horsepower and performance to match. The Turbo accelerates from 0-60 mph in about five seconds and has a test track top speed in excess of 150 mph. The turbocharger also acts as a muffling device giving a quieter ride and eliminating the need for a catalytic converter in all 50 states.

The Turbo delivers 24 mpg on the highway and 14 mpg in the city, according to EPA tests, California figures are the same.

The Turbo is easily recognized by its flared front and rear fenders, forged alloy wheels and the distinctive rear "whale tail" spoiler. The word Turbo is also sculptured in the pile on the rear carpet.

To accept the added power of the turbocharged engine, the chassis and suspension have been modified from the 911S. A larger clutch and a new four-speed transmission have also been added.

Price? $25,850, the most expensive production Porsche ever. Only 500 will be built for the American market and 400 have already been sold before one arrives here.

The Turbo is available from more than 300 Porsche-Audi dealers in the country, including Ely Porsche-Audi in Hayward.



Valley Realty

Valley Realty wishes to congratulate salespeople who have worked more than five years at the company's Dublin office. Valley Realty opened the Dublin office, its first, in February 1965, and has grown to be one of the largest real estate firms in the Bay Area. Above, left to right, are Manager Jerry Moon, Tom Berberich, Jerry Martin, Bud Brennan, and Bob Gardner and Rich White in the back row. Another salesman, Ralph Amy, has also served five years with the company.

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45. Antiques

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48. Articles for Sale

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71. Offices—Stores (Rent)

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80. Homes for Rent

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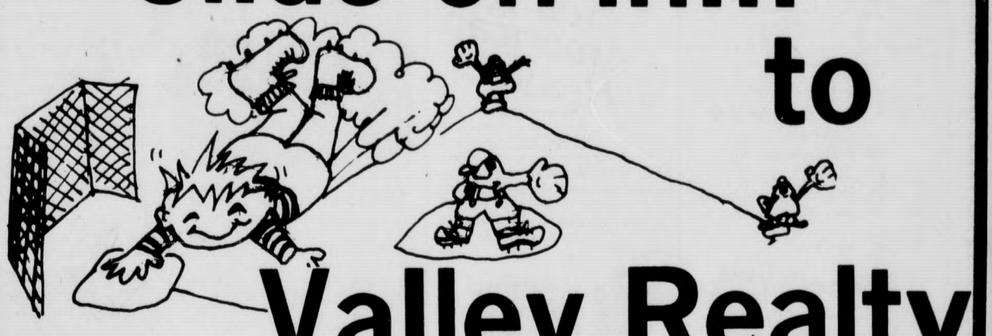
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CASTLEWOOD LOT
Buildable lot with Beautiful Trees. Estimated ½ acre. Priced right at **$21,500**

IF YOU'VE ONLY JUST BEGUN!
Start with this charming 3 bdr. 2 bath home with sparkling 20 x 37 ft. pool. (Heated and filtered). Carpeting over hardwood floors. Extra large lot. All on quiet ct. **$47,500**

NEED SPACE AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD?
Roomy 4 bdr. 2 bath home. On Cul-de-sac close to green belt. Possible side yard access on both sides of home. Sod Lawns, Lg. Patio. Central air conditioning. Comfortable family room with fireplace. Pride of ownership shows throughout this immaculate home **$47,950**

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SPIC & SPAN
Freshly painted inside & out, new roof, wall to wall carpeting, drapes & curtains, built-ins, side access. Ready to go.... **$38,950**

4 BEDROOM ASSUMPTION
Neat 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with family kitchen, modern built in kitchen, fireplace, central heat, wall to wall carpeting, loads of panelling & wallpaper, side access **$39,950**

WALK TO SCHOOLS
and shopping, clean well maintained home, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, includes wall to wall carpeting, oven, range, dishwasher. Large enclosed patio, tool shed. Assume loan or refinance **$39,950**

TERRIFIC
Floor plan, 3 nice size bedrooms, 2 baths, stepdown rumpus with fireplace, includes self-cleaning oven, range, dishwasher. No wax kitchen fllor, electric garage door opener. Assume 7% loan on refinance **$45,950**

ORCHARD LOCATION
Lots of trees & mature plants. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, stepdown living room, wall to wall used brick fireplace. All electric kitchen, wall to wall carpeting, drapes remain, landscaped nicely..... **$48,500**

MODEL SHARP
Save $$$ in decoration costs in this beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home. All electric kitchen, dishwasher, fireplace, central air conditioning, quality drapes & carpeting throughout. Sprinklers & much more **$50,950**

2000 SQ. FT. RANCHER
Super floor plan. 4 bedroom, 2½ baths, inside laundry, family room, formal dining, large living room with vaulted ceilings, built-in vacuum system. Roman bath, sprinkler system, wall to wall carpeting, quality drapes, central air conditioning. Priced to sell **$61,500**

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TERRIFIC BUY!
Don't miss the terrific buy on this wonderful investment opportunity. Excellent location, just blocks from shopping, parks & schools. Tenants pay utilities. Fenced private patios. One unit — 2 bed, 1 bath, 900 sq. ft., rent $155 mo., unfurn., no stove. One unit — 2 bed, 1 bath, 900 sq. ft., $159 mo., unfurn., with stove.... ..... **$32,900**

SUNNY AND BRIGHT
You really must see this 4 bedroom, 2 bath, $12,950 assumption, with fireplace, family room, and much, much more at only **$46,950**

PLENTY OF ROOM
There's plenty of room to romp and roam with this 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with 40x12 covered patio, Gazebo, fish pond—enough room to play football! Newly revamped kitchen with eating bar, lots of wide open space, fireplace and complete workbench in garage **$47,950**

CINNAMON CREEK
Don't miss seeing this outstanding, well - cared for 3 bedroom, 2 bath Cinnamon Creek home. The many extras include central air conditioning, upgraded carpeting, covered patio, sprinklers, and garage door opener. Cabana Club membership included **$43,950**

SUMMER IS COMING
And you can be ready with your own 18 x 31 Anthony pool. Oh yes, the home is a magnificent 3 bedroom, 2 bath gem with rumpus room with built - in bar for entertaining, well landscaped, covered patio, fireplace, and much, much more **$45,950**

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Popular model "14L." Spacious. Central air conditioning. 4 bdr. 2 bath. Huge master bdr. with retreat and Sunken Roman Bath. Lush Shag carpets and custom drapes. Dramatic court yard entry. Formal dining room. Inside Laundry. Many extras. Assumable F.H.A. Loan..... **$68,950**

Freshly painted 4 bdrs. 2 baths. New Shag carpeting in open and spacious family room. Finished garage. Unique Brink Patio. Front sprinklers. Extra features such as Wardrobe dressing mirrors in master bedroom. Upgraded carpeting..... **$56,500**

"BETTER HOMES AND GARDEN" EAT YOUR HEART OUT
Former Model home decorated to perfection. Plush carpeting, custom drapes and color coordinated wallpaper. Formal dining room, wet bar. Professionally Landscaped and Maintained. Central Air. Covered redwood deck with barbecue. Country foothill setting..... **$70,500**

PRESTIGE AT A PRICE YOU CAN AFFORD
Beautiful "Vintage Hills" 4 bdr. 3 bath home. Sparkling "Continental" pool with spa and raised bond beam and natural rock. Upgraded carpets and custom drapes. Central Air. Decorating accented with wallpaper and paneling. Assumable F.H.A. Loan at 7¼%. Plus ½% Annual percentage rate. Priced right at only **$71,950**

SILVERGATE
4 bedroom, 2 bath, Gentry built home with 2 baths. This home features formal dining, stepdown family room, fireplace, decorated nicely **$51,950**

THINK QUALITY
Located on tree lined street, lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath, stepdown living room, family room, fireplace, all electric kitchen, dishwasher, central air conditioning, heated & filtered pool, outdoor shower, timed sprinkler system, built in vacuum, log lighter, automatic garage door opener, mirrored closet doors, outdoor lighting, Grecian bath, upgraded wall to wall carpeting, loads of wallpaper & paneling. A real must see **$61,000**

EASY LIVING
Lounge around your heated & filtered Anthony pool or entertain in your formal dining & family room located on a quiet court. 4 bedroom, two story, 2 bath, inside laundry, fireplace, all electric kitchen, dishwasher, Garage is finished. Landscaped nicely. Asking **$61,950**

ON THE HILL
Super huge rumpus room for all around entertaining. 4 bedroom, 3 bath, fireplace, electric garage door opener, all electric kitchen, dishwasher, inside laundry, carpeting & drapes remain. View of valley **$62,500**

ROOM TO ROAM
Approx. 2300 sq. ft. home, decorated to a "T." 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, gigantic rumpus room. Formal dining, fireplace, central conditioning, all electric kitchen, dishwasher, built in BBQ. Quality wall to wall carpeting, 18x36 heated & filtered pool, double size lot, room for garden, camper, boat, etc..... **$63,950**

HOT DAYS AHEAD
And you'll sure be ready in this outstanding 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING. Super large family room, large lot with side access, drapes, workbench garage, new linoleum will be installed, near schools and three parks. Only... ..... **$44,900**

TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE!
But it is, as you can immediately tell when you see this beautiful 3 bedroom, 1 bath home with many super extras. Huge 418 sq. ft. family room with custom wall-to-wall drapes and upgraded carpets, modernized kitchen & bath, gas starter in fireplace, stove, new vinyl floor, new pump and filter for pool, study in garage **$42,950**

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Two great income-producing 2 bedroom, 2 bath units. With central air conditioning, fenced yards, window coverings wall-to-wall carpeting, back up to golf course, all electric kitchen, garage, plus off street parking **$52,950**

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You'll love this pleasing 4 bedroom, 2 bath home with central air conditioning; thick toe pleasing shag carpeting and custom drapes. Large kitchen, fireplace, timed sprinklers and Cabana Club membership... ..... **$54,950**

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High on a Las Trampas slope, through wrought iron gates to a cloistered stonewall courtyard. Double doors into this upgraded Briarhill beauty. Sunken living rm., formal dining, AEK kit., plank hardwood fam. rm. with stonefaced fireplace wall, 3 bdrms., 2 baths, privacy & broad free form patio with all yards sprinkled. $56,950.
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Don't miss this upgraded 3 bdrm., 2 bath home with huge beamed ceiling, fam. rm. w/outstanding stone fireplace. Only $40,950.
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SPANISH ARCHES AND DOUBLE DOOR ENTRY - out of Old Spain on this Two-Story 4 bdrm. 3 full bath home, family rm., fireplace, immaculate cond., landscaped plus patio. $53,950 FHA-VA Terms. 829-1212 - DON GARLINGTON-BROKER
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Plus closing costs will purchase this sharp 3 bdrm., 2 bath home. Plush carpets, built-in range and oven, zone air, cent. heat, fireplace, corner lot, side-yard access, covered patio, WON'T LAST $39,950.
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$850 TOTAL CASH needed for GI on this sharp 4 bdrm., 2 bath home. Fam. rm., frplc., central heat, pmts. $361 mo. (P&I) on 8¾% VA loan for 30 yrs. $46,000.
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5 BDRM., 2 BATH in Silvergate area, FHA-VA terms, quick possession, $53,500.
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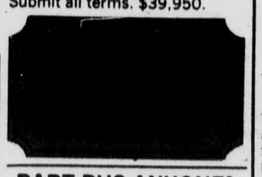
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LOW ASSUMPTION
Call for details about this beautiful home with a 7% assumable GI loan with payments of $268 mo. 7.25 a.p.r. Features include 3 bdrms., 2 baths, frplc., zone air, w/w cpts. thruout, beautiful drps., located on lrg. fenced lot. Only $38,950.
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DUBLIN 829-4900

ASSUME-ASSUME
High peaked ceilings highlight this lovely 3 or 4 bedroom home situated close to schools. Assume low interest FHA loan. New listing. Hurry!.....$42,950
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ASSUMPTION + POOL
$7,350 assumes this popular La Jolla model featuring 3 bdrms., 2 baths, fam. rm., heated & filtered Anthony pool. Seller will help finance balance. Only $45,950.
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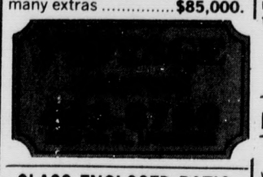
BARGAIN
4 bdrm., 2 bath, 2 car garage in mature area. Sellers anxious. Submit all terms. $39,950.



BART BUS ANYONE?
this condo is ½ block away, 3 bdrms., 1½ baths, air cond., elect. garage opener, inside utility rm., AEK with dishwasher. Spotless condition, carpets & drapes included. $32,000
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SOUTH SIDE CHARMER
3 bedroom home on good close-in corner location. Basement. Lots of potential here ..... $31,950.
FOUR BEDROOMS
Just listed. 4 bedroom, 2 bath home. New carpets, zone air, side access and much more. Owner says "Sell IT"....$43,950.
POOL TIME
Big 2 story home, 4 bedroom, 1 bath with heated and filtered pool, large family room. Assume VA loan .....$53,950.
SUNSET EAST
Sharp Cypress model, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, formal dining, near new carpets, heated and filtered pool.....$59,950.
SUPER CUSTOM
Fantastic views of the Valley. Huge custom rancher, 4 bedroom, 2 bath, 2 fireplaces and many extras .....$85,000.



GLASS ENCLOSED PATIO
... is added to the highlights of this lovely 3 bedroom, 2 bath home situated on extra large lot, with fireplace in family room. A fantastic buy at only $33,950
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IS THE TAX MAN BREATHING DOWN YOUR NECK?
Try home ownership instead of rent receipts. Lovely 3 bdrm. home w/new cpts., central air, frplc., self cleaning oven, lrg. fam. rm. & fire alarm system. Only $41,950.
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IF IT'S YOUR MOVE
Make it a wise one & see this assumable home on a corner lot. Large entry way opens the way to 4 bdrms., 2 baths & fam. rm. Other features include cent. air, panelling, wallpaper, AEK w/dbl. ovens, sprinklers & more. $44,950.
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Upgraded carpets, panelling and wallpaper, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, Redwood deck, landscaped like a park.....$41,950
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SOUTHSIDE CUSTOM
You must see this lovely 2 bedroom, 2 bath home to believe it! Super large 2 car garage, and lots, lots more $36,000
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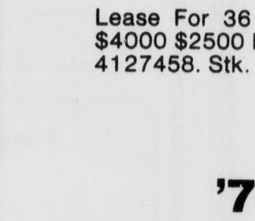
VACANT
Fast occupancy on this 3 bdrm., 2 bath, 6 yr. young home. Features shake roof, dishwasher, dbl. ovens, redwood deck, fireplace. $40,950. Eves., Joyce Williams, 462-4494.
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1800 Sq. Ft. 4 bdrm. 2 bath former model home, formal dining, fireplace, separate family room, central air, well landscaped. $46,500. 829-1212 DON GARLINGTON-BROKER
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4 BEDROOM TWO STORY
Big beautiful 4 bedroom, 2 bath home situated on large lot with rear access, decorated to perfection, Central Air $46,950
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FAST SALE WANTED
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3 bdrm., 2 bth., cul-de-sac, deluxe cpts., AEK, custom drps., $56,500. Open house Sat. & Sun. 462-5094.

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STOP
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GONE
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LOOK AT THIS
An outstanding value with a low price TAG. Be sure to see this 4 bdrm. 2 bath 2000 sq. ft. + or - with a H/F pool to boot. Many extras and look at this price. $46,950.
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3 bdrm., 2 bath, 1 minutes walk to shopping. Wine cellar, carpet, large lot, recent new roof. $32,100.
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2 bdrm. condo in excelient Foothill location. Built-in kitchen, central air, no outside maintenance. Pool. Only $21,950. Good terms.
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Lovely 4 bdrm., 2 bth. Val Vista. Nicely landscaped, paved side access, near school.

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SUPER HOME
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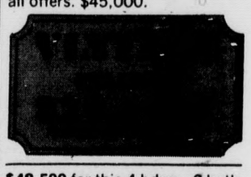
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INDIVIDUALIZED
3 bedroom plan in excellent condition — outstanding carpets, lots of wallpaper. Side yard access with gates and lots of concrete for camper or boat storage **$46,500**
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SAN RAMON

A RARE FIND
Fabulous San Ramon home surrounded with trees for only $46,950. Features 3 bdrms., 2 baths, AEK, kitchen w/dbl. - ovens, dishwasher, disposal, beautiful w/w cpts., thruout, cust. drps., huge pool size lot w/side access. HURRY, this won't last.
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Dublin 829-4900

SPRUCED UP
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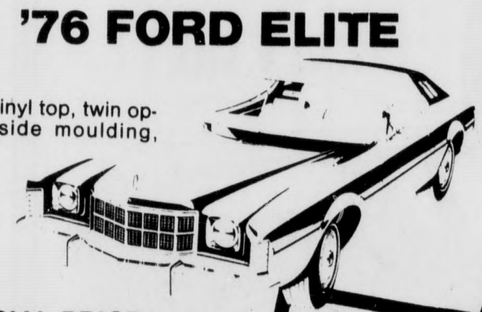
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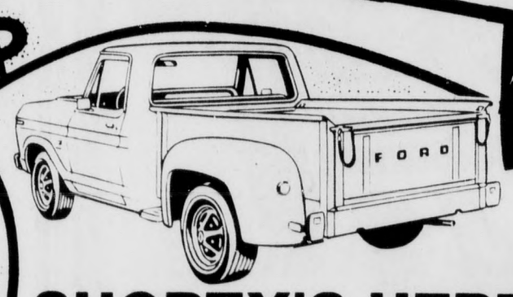
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APPLE PIE. You will think of mom's apple pie, when you enter this South side charmer. Everything is perfect, in this 3 bedroom. The large lot has plenty of room for a garden. ..... $37,950.00.

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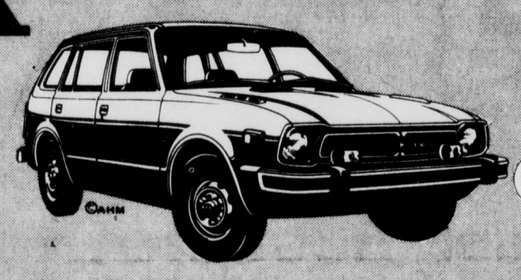
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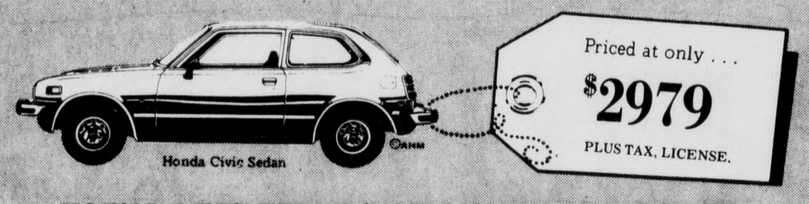
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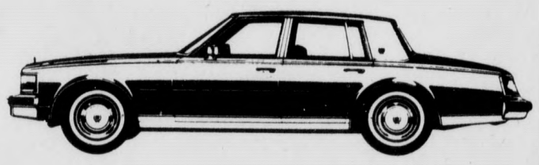
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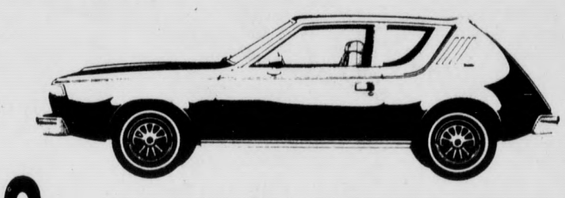
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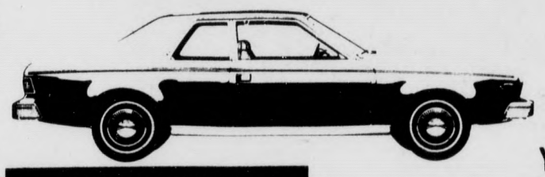
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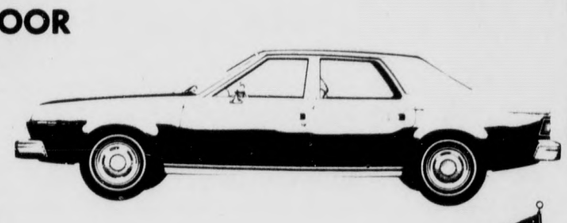


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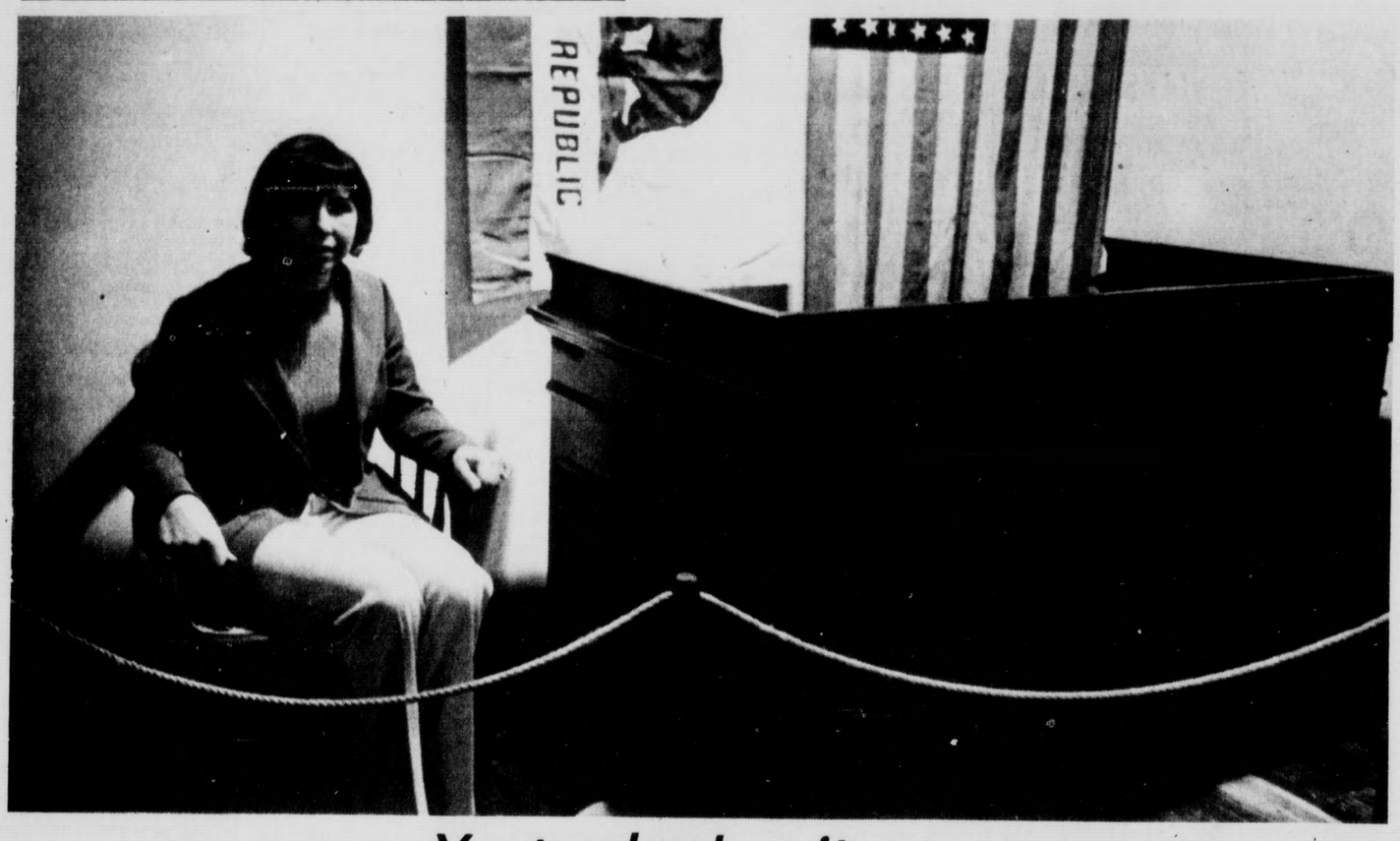
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Ramsey launches vandalism battle

DANVILLE — Sheriff Harry Ramsey yesterday launched a county - wide attack on juvenile vandalism and said parents must be forced to pay the costs of damages their children cause.

At an early morning meeting of the San Ramon Valley Liaison Committee, Ramsey said the juvenile vandalism problem in the San Ramon Valley "is greater than in any other unincorporated area of the county."

According to studies by the Stanford Research Institute, school authorities try to "hide" the problem by cloaking damage caused by vandals under annual maintenance cost expenses, he said. Ramsey cited arson, damaged lockers and broken windows as the major forms of student vandalism.

The PTA, Ramsey said, is weaker than it used to be and "hasn't accepted the idea that their children are tearing down the schools."

Juveniles (under 18) commit 55 per cent of recorded serious crime, he said. "We've got an explosive society on our hands — future shock and all that."

Ramsey suggested that after a juvenile is convicted or admits to an act of vandalism, the youth's parents should be forced to pay the full amount of damage expense. "We can take individual action against parents of juveniles proven to have committed crimes of vandalism where a monetary loss is incurred," he said.

Parents can be liable for up to $2,000 of each act of vandalism their child commits, and victims of crime can apply to the state for up to $10,000. Ramsey would like to see both of these limits increased.

"Upon conviction of any crime, that person should be forced to pay full restitution," Ramsey said, even if a "lifetime judgement" is required to complete payment.

The Sheriff said he had previously brought suit against prisoners who stuffed blankets into toilets, and suggested similar action be continued to reduce repeat offenses and decrease taxpayer costs at the same time.

States should automatically collect damages from the convicted criminal's existing assets, he said, and set up reciprocal agreements with other states to reduce jurisdictional problems in tracking down errant debtors.

Ramsey said the Sheriff's Dept. had a higher percentage of juvenile arrests "than any other law enforcement agency anywhere." He added that his department had a lower operating cost than city police forces not as good, hinting that the proposed Town of San Ramon Valley might reconsider its decision to form a separate police force.

Referring to recent criticism of overcrowded conditions at the county jail, Ramsey said it had the lowest incarceration rate of three neighboring counties "out of necessity." Surplus prisoners can be boarded in adjacent county jails at additional cost.

He joked that Contra Costa County prisoners being jailed in the San Francisco County Jail cost $19 per day, much less than the cost of his own prisoners. "It's a real steal," he said.

— by Bill Cauble

Mixed bag at meeting

Money injected into VCSD fund

DUBLIN — The Valley Community Services District Board of Directors tackled a mixed bag of business Tuesday night, including a transfer of $45,600 to the water fund and an update on parks development.

Water Fund Transfer. Following a short debate, the board approved the transfer of $45,600 from the Water System Fund Balance to the water account.

This will result in a year-end net budget deficit in the water system account of $40,843.

Public Works Director Doug Nelson said the transfer was needed due to increased wholesale water prices from Zone 7 and a calculation error in the original budget.

Director Richard Fahey cast the lone dissenting vote, saying he would not vote for a measure he did not understand.

Park development update. In response to a San Ramon Homeowners Association request for information about Boone Acres, General Manager Paul Ryan said negotiations to acquire the land are proceeding.

The district is seeking to acquire the land without condemning it. Under law, VCSD cannot get immediate possession of the site for park purposes.

Director Lila Euler assured the SRHA the district is "trying to get the best price for the land in the shortest time."

Ryan announced VCSD has received $85,000 in State park funds for the Dublin Sports Grounds. The district will now advertize for bids on the project.

Dilution program. Ryan reported negotiations to buy water for the district's dilution program from the Alameia County Water District look doubtful.

Price, he said, was less of a problem than getting ACWD to commit itself to providing the volume of water needed.

An estimated maximum 1.17 million gallons per day in the summer and at least 67 mgd in the winter will be needed.

Ryan said he would discuss the program with Zone 7 this week, and hoped a decision would be made by the end of the month.

Sewer Plant Efficiency Study. The directors voted to hire Harris and Associates of Lafayette to conduct an "audit" on the treatment plant.

The study will include operational techniques, quality control methods, stafffng levels, violations of Regional Board standards, calibrations of instruments, per capita flow within the expansion area, sewage back flows, discrepancies in metering, examination of sewage permits, and dye checks on selected swelling units within the expansion area.

The VCSD general manager and directors Euler and Fahey will oversee the work of the consultants. A maximum $25,000 to be taken from the sewage expansion fund was authorized for the study.



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